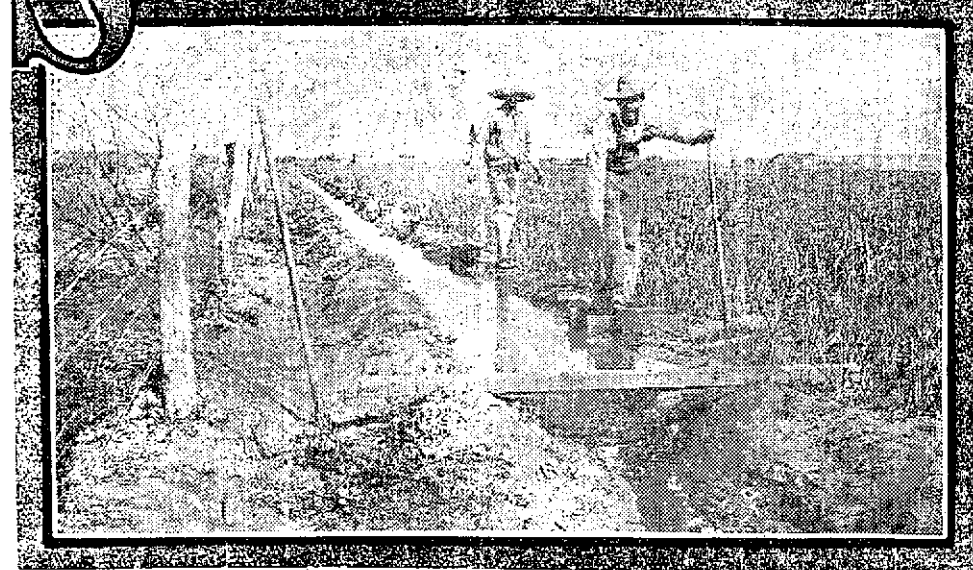


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MAGAZINE SECTION

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SCENTING a GOOD THING in the ONION



Irrigation Ditch in Texas Onion Field.

Uncle Sam's Regard for This Ten-Million Dollar Crop

EVERY little while, gazing across his broad domain, a constantly expanding garden of constantly increasing food-plant varieties, Uncle Sam gives a start of astonishment and makes a dash for his Government Printing Office, to tell his ninety millions of people all about it.

There are over 350 of these bulletins of his out by this time; and the greatest trouble he has is putting it all in them.

He has just discovered he is \$10,000,000 to the good on that delectable delicacy, the onion.

Despise not the lowly onion; though you smell it only to turn away, believe not that it is in bad odor. Whoever flays that honorable crop, though he skin but a single sample, shall sweep as he never swept before.

It is the newest and strongest pride of our worthy Uncle Sam. Like Mulberry Sellers, he waves toward it a boastful hand and boldly proclaims:

"There's millions in it!"
As none of Mulberry Sellers' eye water ever did demonstrate, the onion of Uncle Sam's latest affections proves to have millions in it so plentifully that whole communities are growing rich out of it.

Yet, for all his ambitions to tell everything there is to tell about the democratic sister of the haughty lily and elegant smilax, Uncle Sam has been compelled to omit many of the most interesting, if not the most practical, facts as to how he has scented the dollar in the onion.

ONE of the most interesting facts is embodied in the energetic person of Mrs. Edward C. Dodd, of Laredo, Texas, once a school teacher, who, in the course of a few years, has made for herself, out of onions, an income equal to that of the millionaire Colonel Sellers so magniloquently aspired to be.

Her husband died and left a farm of several hundred acres near the Rio Grande that were as dry as a bone and, naturally, pretty nearly as poor.

Around her ranch were various people who were already proving that, if they could only get water on their soil, and Bermuda onions under the water a dozen times or so during the season, they could grow a lot of onions and, naturally, make a lot of money.

FORTUNE IN ONE CROP

Three years ago the Laredo widow with the school teacher's training began to pump the Rio Grande up to a small section of her 600 acres. She was moderate in her ambition—seventy acres of irrigated land would satisfy her for a start.

She marketed a crop of Bermuda onions from those seventy acres that brought her just \$32,000 after all her expenses were paid.

It was too easy, there in Laredo. With a square mile of ground to plant pretty nearly any way she cared to, she decided to go long—very long—on her friends and allies, those delectable Bermuda onions.

She installed an electrical pumping plant capable of snaking up the patient Rio Grande at the rate of 3500 gallons per minute and distributing it over the face of the thirsty earth she owned.

She planted 135 acres in onions, irrigated them amply by means of her 3500-gallon-per-minute pump, and now takes off \$625 worth of onions from every acre of the 135 she has under cultivation for the bulbs.

It costs her \$225 per acre to grow and market her crops; but, at that, she has \$400 per acre clear, or \$54,000 a year. She sells water to her neighbors for the irrigation of fifty acres

outside her own farm; irrigates sixty-five acres of grain and varied crops besides her onions; and so reduces her expenses and provides for the sustenance of her farm labor and working stock that a considerable addition appears on the credit side of her account over and above the \$54,000 profit on the onions.

Being pretty nearly the most extensive planter of onions in the world, not excepting growers on the island of Bermuda itself, admiring Texas hastened to entitle her "The Onion Queen," and wonders what she is going to do next.

What she is going to do is this: Although a member of the local association of growers, she feels convinced that the salesmen of the association are too expensive for a planter of her large enterprise. She had to pay them ten cents a crate of fifty pounds, \$6000 in all, for marketing her onion crop last season.

"No!" Mrs. Dodd, the onion queen, has declared with all her native emphasis. "No, and double no! I'm going to establish my individual headquarters in New York and hire women selling agents of my own to operate in Philadelphia, Boston, Baltimore and perhaps some other large cities of the East."

"My farm organization is now perfect, my superintendent knows the whole routine. I can be free to handle the end where the real money grows. I shall stay in New York during the season, watch the market like a hawk, and, when my judgment tells me prices will suit me, have my onions shipped to me directly and so get the full benefit of the enterprise."

Uncle Sam has not dwelt upon this astonishing achievement of the Laredo onion queen, probably for the excellent reason that, while she may deserve her title as surpassing other onion growers in the extent of her operations, she does not make any more money in proportion to her cultivated acreage than do the other planters. His queen, whom he lauds so loyally, is the onion itself.

Time was when the Bermuda onion had to come from Bermuda, although we paid an appreciable tribute to the hard-working peasants of Spain, the fellaheen of Egypt and the natives of the South Sea Islands for onions we couldn't raise ourselves.

But that time is so definitely past that the whole importation of onions now amounts to only 1,400,000 bushels, all of them inferior to the crops we raise on our own soil, while our

domestic production amounts to 14,000,000 bushels, precisely ten times as much as we import.

So greatly has the culture of this estimable, if odoriferous, vegetable developed in recent years that it ranks now as third in volume among the truck crops of the United States.

The production of the various forms of Spanish and Bermuda onions in the Gulf coast states has become an industry apart. Such an enormous crop can be grown on a limited acreage—as many as seventeen and eighteen short tons being frequently grown to the acre—that the market limit has already been attained, and the supply is practically equal to the demand, although the greater portion of the Bermuda industry is located in southern Texas and comprises in all no more than 7000 acres.

THE ONION KING

The onion king, whose position corresponds to that of Mrs. Dodd in Bermuda preeminence, is Edward Green, whose farm is on the San Marcos river, 200 miles north of what is ordinarily conceded to be the "onion belt."

His success has been the outcome of a combination of onion genius and good, hard nerve. Everybody believed it was impossible to raise Bermuda above the frost line. But Mr. Green took chances on what he considered a peculiarly favorable location, planted 200 acres and reaped \$75,000.

The Department of Agriculture itself remarks now that the plants will withstand considerable freezing, although if grown much north of the mild climate of the "onion belt"

the crop will not mature in time for the early market.

During the early days of Bermuda industry in the United States the crop was shipped in bags. But the bulb proved too perishable for such rough usage. It was a question then whether it would rank as such a delicacy as to leave a profit on handling it like fancy cantaloupes, prime lemons and the other aristocrats of the fruit business.

The question was speedily answered. The merits of the Bermuda onion were high enough to bear any reasonable care in shipment. So the safe and attractive crate came in to lend the dignified Bermuda the distinction it deserves, at an added expense of thirty-six cents per hundred pounds of bulbs, or eighteen cents per crate holding about fifty pounds.

They are a high-class crop all the way through. They pay best when raised on a comparatively large scale, because land with the requisite irrigation facilities calls for an original investment of from \$10,000 to \$30,000.

Running expenses are heavy. The preparation of the land and the fertilizers alone amount to \$70 per acre. The seed costs \$9; transplanting, \$20; irrigation, \$15; cultivation and hand weeding, \$16; harvesting, \$20, and interest on investment, \$20, making a total of \$170 an acre yearly.

This represents average expense. Average returns, with a normal yield of 16,000 pounds to the acre and a market price of \$1.60 per hundredweight, are about \$250, leaving a profit of some \$80 per acre.

When a farmer is working on a profit basis of \$80 per acre, he is making some money;



Special Wheel Hoes for Cultivating Onions



Curing Onions in Sacks



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when he secures land that is especially well adapted to onions, he must expect to pay for the chance to gain a larger return. That is the reason the best farmlands in the Bermuda district sell for as much as \$300 and \$500 per acre.

And that is why, in the Bermuda district, some very huge storage houses are to be seen—immense, barnlike structures, erected with such a care for temperature as is only to be observed in the finest farm buildings in the North.

The construction is double throughout, with ventilation provided at both top and bottom and with every safeguard against the invasion of the dampness which is one of the garnered crop's most dangerous foes.

But the less pretentious varieties of the onion family—those good old reliable little sisters and brothers of the lordly Bermuda that have figured from immemorial time in humanity's bill of fare—can be raised almost anywhere, short of the higher mountain levels. And as a matter of prosaic fact, they are raised everywhere.

Uncounted farms and unnoticed truck patches of amateur gardeners serve to swell the total of the actual onion crop of the country, far beyond the figures reported to the Department of Agriculture.

WHYS AND WHEREFORES

These little family crops rarely come into the market, and, while they are probably paralleled by other truck products, such as tomatoes, peas and beans, in their modest retirement from observation, they must raise the total of the crop estimate by many thousands, if not millions, of pounds.

Why, then, this universal passion for a plant the odor of which is universally reviled, the emanations of whose juices are the occasion of countless women's tears, the aftermath of whose ingestion must ever be the averted head and a sense of shame no virtues of the soul can either mitigate or condone?

The explanation is to be found in the phenomenon that teaches the Indian mongoose the antidote for the cobra's venom, the bear's fence for the stings of bees in his greed for honey, the awful courage of the man who first ate an oyster, the descent upon Rome of the Goths.

Every animal, including man, will dare anything for a food the final taste and the final nutriment of which are peculiarly agreeable and beneficial. History has discerned Rome's fall in the plethora of her prosperity; the invasion

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Germany's Novel Solution of the Unemployed Problem

Has Canteen, Hot Baths,
Shops and Is Well Patron-
ized By Empire's Emplves

The municipal school authorities and magistrates presented an address of welcome. Later Ambassador Reid escorted the king through the stately avenue to the house where the guests were presented and tea was served.

in the Strand. This condition was accepted. The sculptor set to work, and Saturday Mr. Ross purchased a plot of ground in Pere Lachaise cemetery for reception of the statue.

COMIC SECTION

THE LITTLE JOURNEYS OF NIP AND TUCK

VERSES BY W. R. BRADFORD
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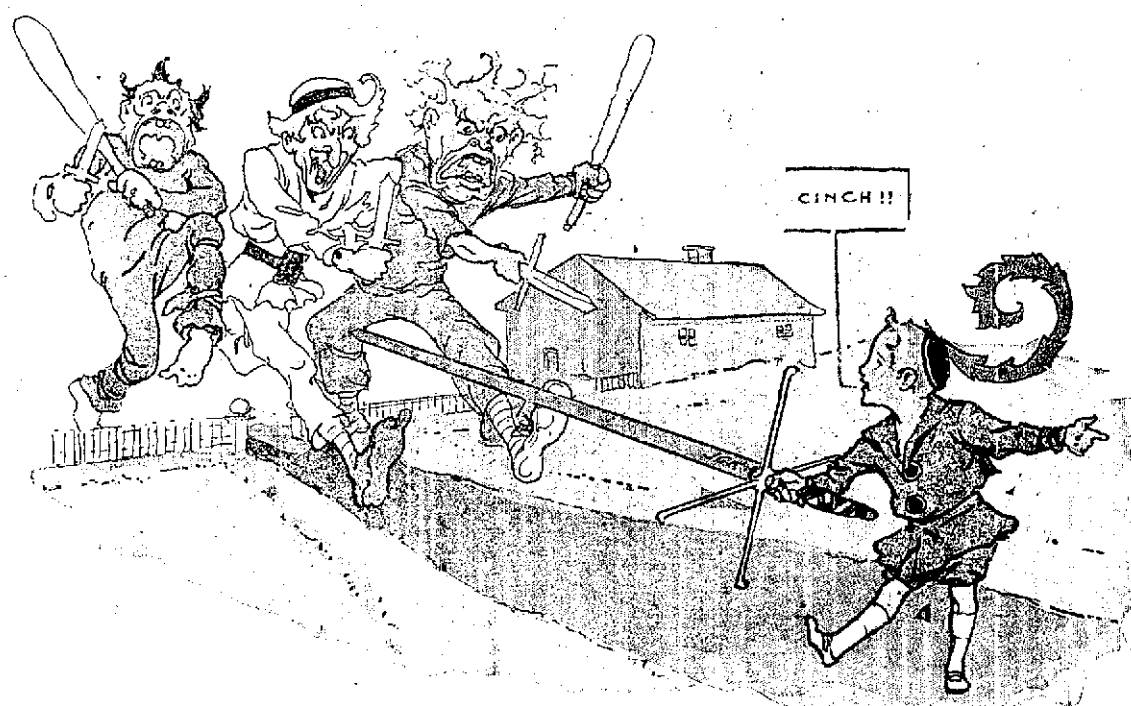
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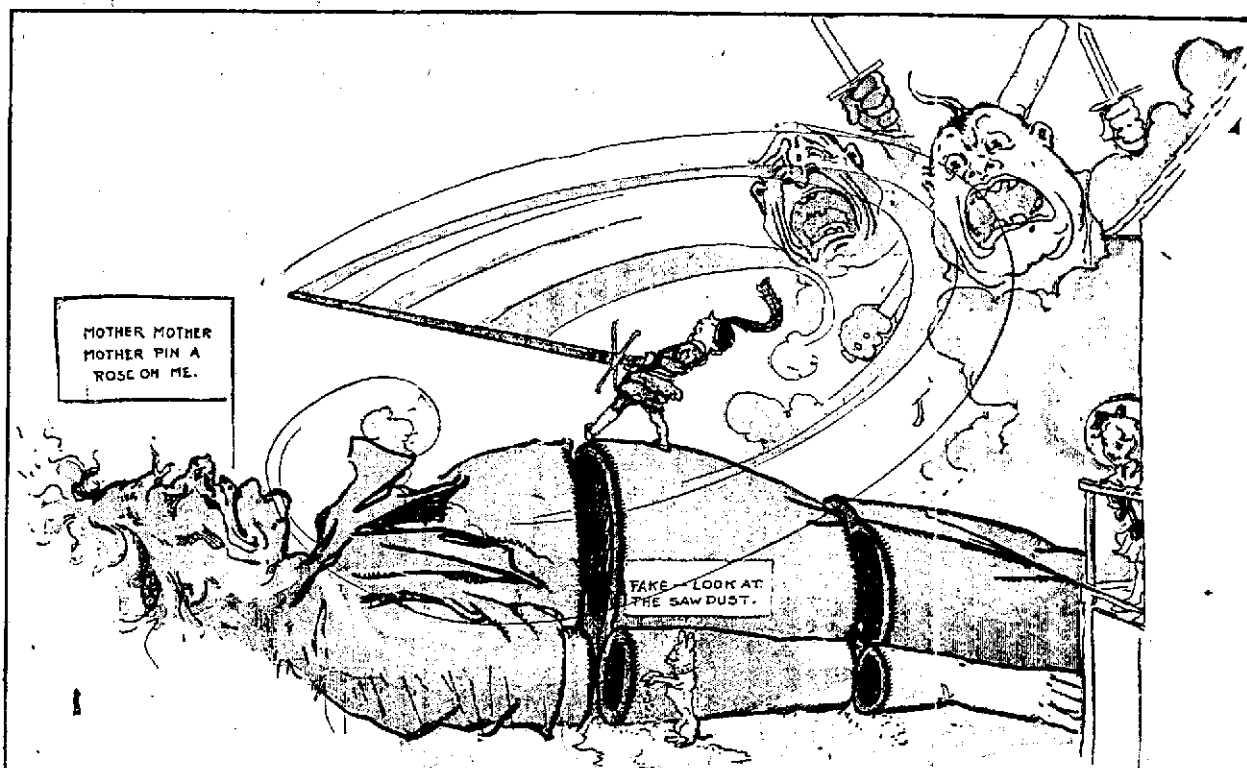
1. Said Mother Goose, "We'll go and see how Jack the Giant Killer be."
They reached the Giant Killer's house and sent their cards in by a mouse,
Who bowed in greatest courtesy and treated them most gallantly.



2. "Oh, will you kindly wait until I sharpen up my sword and kill
Three monstrous giants who await my coming at the garden gate?"
Said Jack, while swiftly on a stone a monstrous cutlass he did hone.



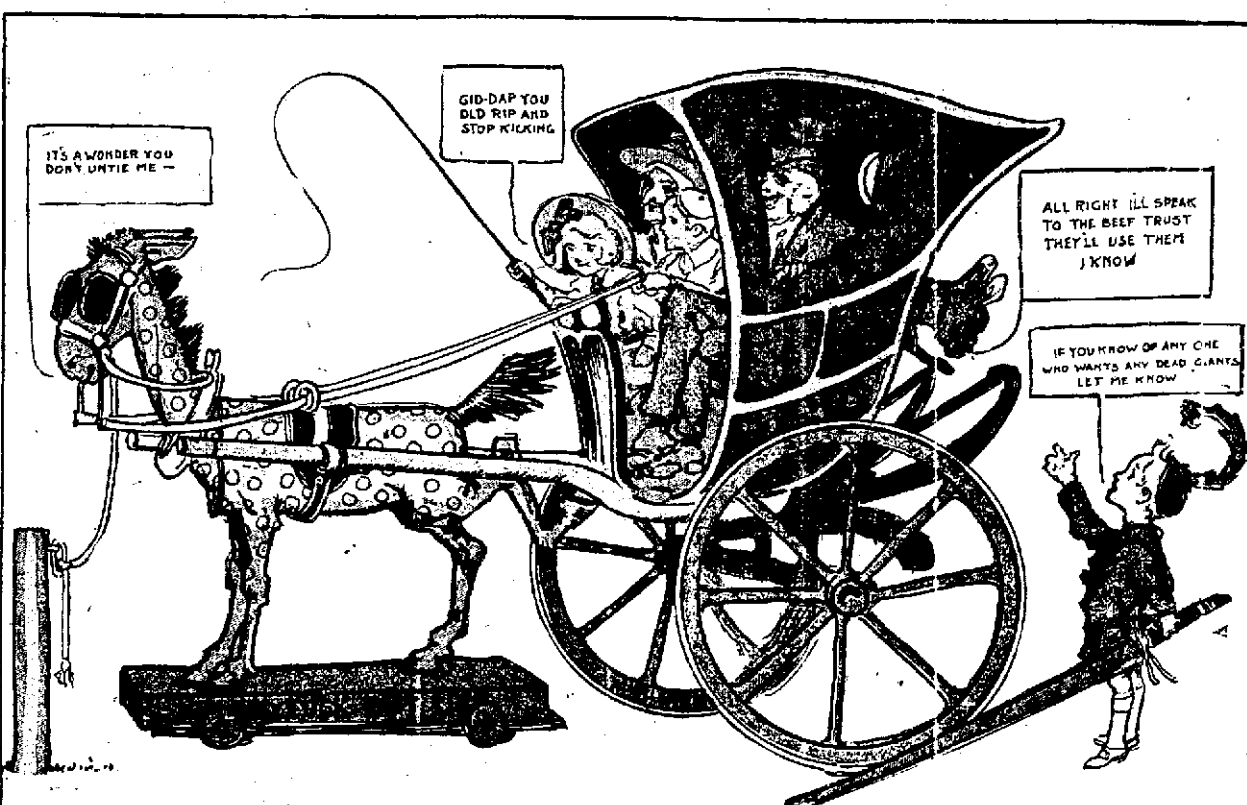
3. "On guard!" our gallant Jack did say; the giants three did start the fray.
They gnashed their teeth and swung their clubs. "Oh, we're the cheese, we are no dubs.
Now, all together, one, two, three, and we shall see what we shall see."



4. Jack swung his sword around his head and killed one giant good and dead.
The other two rushed up as one—the battle only had begun.
"Come on," said Jack, "and have at you; I've killed one, now I will kill two!"



5. Fierce raged the fight, but nimble Jack did smite them in the front and back;
He cut their ears and cut their toes and stabbed both of them in the nose.
He killed them both without mishap. Jack was a brave and mighty chap.



6. Then Doctor Foster dug two holes and offered prayer for their poor souls,
While Mother Goose did toll the bell—this rang the giants' funeral knell.
Then all climbed in a one-horse shay, and gaily they went on their way.

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WOMAN'S SECTION

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The Smartest Fashions of Well-Dressed Folk



Gertrude Hark.

AN INFORMAL PARTY

DEAREST ELEANOR:

Yesterday, as you know, was little Eleanor's birthday, and we gave her an informal party—just thought of, as it were, on the spur of the moment, because it seemed to me that if the children came in accidentally they would be more sensibly dressed, and would therefore enjoy themselves more. So at half after 2 I telephoned to the mothers of the neighborhood and asked them to let their children come over to play a few games with Eleanor. In this way we avoided the presents that each mother feels she must provide.

The children played happily all the afternoon on the lawn, for it was a lovely day, and about 5 o'clock we served ice cream and a few little cakes. It was after this that the most amusing incident occurred, when two of our little guests became incensed at a very independent little lady, who arrived dressed beautifully in a white linen dress and a hat which she wore all the afternoon. It must have been that the belligerent ones made some remark about this hat, and the answer must have been most cutting, for they walked off in high dudgeon. The hat in question, by the way, was remarkably pretty, for it was of white linen in the mushroom shape, and the crown was run through with pink ribbons. On each side of the hat were two big pink ribbon rosettes. This was the only touch of color in the child's outfit; otherwise she

was in white, which looked extremely well, and her dignity became her.

The other two guests, who walked off unceremoniously with their Billy Possum, were dressed well, too: the larger in a frock of blue linen, quite low in the neck and trimmed with linen of a darker shade. The smaller child wore a black-and-white striped gingham trimmed with red linen, while a red ribbon bound her raven hair. The effect of the black and red was extremely good, and the little frock was not only cool, but eminently sensible.

Eleanor, fortified by a plate of ice cream, regarded the little unpleasantness which put an end to the festivities with the most stoical calm. She wore a pink linen, made quite simply with three pleats on the shoulders and trimmed across the front with white wash braid and frogs.

All of the children wore quite short sleeves, and none of them wore collars of any kind. Ted, of course, who was present, kept pretty well out of sight of the girls until refreshment time, when he made his appearance and hovered near the table until the end of the afternoon.

The country is lovely just now, and we are all enjoying it so much. It is certainly a very ideal place for children, and we do not regret having made it our permanent home.

With best love from your namesake to you both, I am,
Always your devoted sister, MADGE.



NORELL, SOPRANO

A black and white portrait of a man with dark hair and a mustache, wearing a dark suit jacket, white shirt, and dark tie. The portrait is set within a decorative, arched frame. The man is looking slightly to the right of the camera.

FREDERICK NIEL
LYNNE, LEADER OF
THE FAMOUS BAND
AT IDORA PARK.

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IDORA PARK
—

Innes and his celebrated orchestral band begin their second week's engagement at Idora Park. "the home of good music," this afternoon. To say that the famous director and his sixty skilled musicians have created anything less than a furore among the music loving patrons of Oakland's pleasure gardens would be putting it mildly.

The programs which will be rendered this afternoon and evening at Idora are characteristic of the great director. There will be excerpts from the great operas, such as "Parsifal," "Serenade," Schubert, a descriptive story from Rubinstein, Rossini's overture, "William Tell," "Meleides," "Baila," "fantasic; overture," "The Marriage of Donizetti," "Kissing the Blurney Stone" a popular Irish fantasy, by Sullivan, and over twenty other selections. The encores rendered after each number are in many instances selections of a lighter vein, such as popular marches and two stens

GEO. FRIEND AND FLORENCE OARLEY
AT YE LIBERTY

muscle. Bamberidge, the great cornetist, will render "Fantasia Polka," by Keler. Regina Lieremont, the sweet voiced soprano, sings in "Bunch 'Ave Marie" at the evening concert and "Heart at Thy Voice" by Saint-Saens. During the afternoon. Another solo which will undoubtedly receive much applause will be "Serenade for Flute and Cello," by T. L.

During the intermissions the greatest athletic attractions obtainable will be presented in various parts of the grounds. The Four Bards begin their second week. These beautiful specimens of physical development perform marvelous feats of strength, equilibrium and tumbling. The continuous circus, which includes old and young to toil with lighter tasks is also on the program. The Oriental dance is presented from one of the big circuses.

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MACDONOUGH—International Grand Opera Company.
ORPHEUM—Advanced Vaudeville.
YE LIBERTY—"The Man On the Box."
BELL—Vaudeville.
BROADWAY—"Sapho."
IDORA PARK—Innis and His Band.

ance throughout is amazing, interesting and unique.

George Hillman and his Redpath Napanees, those bright youngsters who appear in the musical comedy, "Fun in a School Room," will remain one of the strong features of the bill.

The three Athletas Sisters, lady acrobats from abroad, with an interesting series of muscular feats, will be among the attractions.

Armstrong and Clark, the song writers, who play the piano and indulge in considerable bright comedy, will be seen in their sketch, "Finding a Partner." Londe and Tilly, unique gymnasts from Europe, will give an exhibition of balancing and tumbling that is out of the ordinary.

A number of new imported motion pictures will be exhibited during the show.

the contrary an entire change of program is in evidence and up to the usual high standard set by this popular house. This summer list of American and European attractions is headed by the Great Albin, the world's greatest magician and wonderworker who astounds and mystifies all with his weird performances and ensemble of magical tricks.

There is plenty of good legitimate comedy introduced by Albin, who is a master comedian as well as magician, and the pretty Allen Sisters, who give a charming and graceful exhibition of dancing and singing in this act, add very materially to its artistic success.

There is a rare treat in store in the appearance of the dainty singing character comedienne, Miss Mabel Carey, who will appear for the first time in this city. There is a brilliant pianologist associated in the act with Miss Carey and their performance evinces very materially of the successful London music hall celebrities.

More comedy is furnished by the side-splitters in black face art, Gillman & Murphy, who reap a harvest of full grown laughs with their ludicrous antics, topical songs and farcical merry-making.

"The Unexpected" is a racing sketch with very favorable advance notices and is being shown this week by Wyand & Rice. Both parties are anxious to secure from the eastern coast with enviable success of big successes. Another big laugh producer is the oldtime friend, Billy Windom, in the act that has made him one of the most popular entertainers in the vaudeville world. As the color of his name, Billy Windom is irresistibly funny; his stories are witty, excellently told and his characterization throughout keeps one brimming over with smiles and laughter.

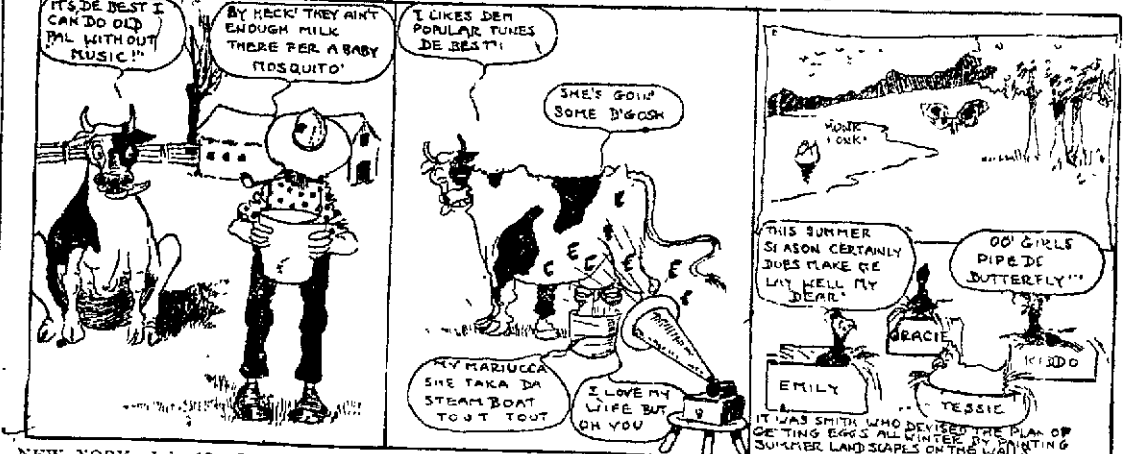
The artistic in vaudeville is supplied this week by "The Artist's Dream," in the depiction of "The Artist's Dream," is executed with surpassing gracefulness by a series of beautiful poses by this darling French actress, Mrs. J. Louis Mintz, who is decorated by the French government. It affords the artist whose dream is figured to the audience by this charming actress in a massive gilt frame. As Mr. Mintz sings his drosses slowly unfold in the delightful pictures which are artistic in the texture, though the dream and beauty of the graceful woman in the frame.

Broadway.

WITH an augmented cast, elaborate costumes and scenery, the Broadway playhouse will begin on Monday night the production of "Sapho." Miss Cooper will play this loving part, with Landers Stearns as Jean.

The famous first act, which caused so much talk about suppressing it when it was given in New York, will be produced under the lines set in the east. This act represents a French ball, where the dancers are in costume. It is a sensational feature of "Sapho" and will

Milk Flows From Cows Through Strains of Music



NEW YORK, July 17.—Steever Smith, formerly of the "Coca-Cola" campaign, came to town yesterday and got his summer supply of phonograph music for the cows. For the most part, the selected light waltzes and quick marches, with a little rag time for the hottest days. Wagner, Beethoven and the other heavy classical music will continue to be served, however, through the next months, as usual, to all who require it.

Steever explained to the music store man that the phonograph harmonies were aimed at good effect on the cows. He showed the proprietor a list for the Swiss dairy man, used to have, as the only advantage she felt over the other dairymen, the music played to her singing as she milked over the cows. That helped considerably, it was said, in getting the milk out of the farm and the milkmaid said that Smith realized the previous cow had been due to the soothing effect of music.

Smith installed the phonographs in the cow barn.

When he wants to get a thrilling storm of descriptive music, as he has here, that the sharp notes meaning "rain" will curdle the output so he can have butter.

He has a quantity that will enable him to supply the New York bar trade.

Smith said he had just received the first of getting over all winter by the summer landscapes on the walls of the barn, so the layers would think it was good.

The sidewalk of the avenue in New York was thronged. Moving at a leisurely pace, a stream of pedestrians threw a billiard ball of color as far as the eye could reach. At the fourth street, at the most crowded hour, a small knot of persons had gathered, obviously intent upon the same object. A woman who was just behind the group, and who had a little gathering, as she supposed, and turning to her companion:

"Isn't that Mark Twain?" she said. "Isn't there is Mark Twain waiting at the end of the line?"

So many have stopped to look at him, and fix him in their minds, and doesn't know a thing about it. Quite a libel, isn't it?"

That is the time the women were attracted of the group. The real object of interest obviously was something very different. Standing back of Mark Twain, and a little way behind her, a French poodle sitting upright like a man, its paws held tightly in its mouth.

One of the group had recognized the distinguished author, and recognized the dog for him in the absorption of watching the

(BY DR. H. F. BIGGAR)

Mr. Rockefeller is in perfect health and has been for the past sixteen years. He lives in this manner, a living example of the simple life. He has a good food well maintained, avoiding food and never indulging in recreation. He exercises for ten hours a week, five-four, including a half to one hour of the shower after the midday meal. He is a devoted, domestic, efficient, loving his home and surrounding place with sincere people—always glad to see his old friends. Some time ago he had a pleasant meeting with his new and old friends and respectful to his employees. He is a lover of the beautiful things, flowers and birds, the gorgeous parks, the beautiful landscapes. In fact, a true genius to him, however, and all he does not worry, and with the great secrets of good health. His health is so good, equal to that of a man of forty-five or fifty, that he must not forget that forty is the old age of a youth and fifty is the youth of an old man. Barring out the evidence, doubt that Mr. Rockefeller will live to be one hundred years old. His chief exercise

MACDONOUGH

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ORPHEUM

proceeds back to the Oakland Orpheum last week without let up in the musical ratings. The crowd, such as his, here, the show during the week has been so attractive that the theatre is in great numbers.

The summer hits have been magnificent, sparkling and snappy at night, and the crowd has been in every part of the theatre.

The Oakland Orpheum's engagements from east to west and north, taking in all of Oakland, Alameda, Emeryville, San Francisco, and all of the towns and cities in the hands of people in these places have the Orpheum developed so that they are in attendance at the big theatre.

With great success, the Orpheum shows are those that are advertised, and people are in the theatre.

There are bound to please.

There will be another magnificent of valuable goods, some imported and some of them of origin.

The program will have a lot of new things throughout and to give the crowd the best of the year.

There will be some of the abundance of sweet singers, the proper kind of songs, and of extraordinary skill, and the comedians, who are rated as

the cleverest and funniest men in the world and other artists who make a comedy with which to delight the public.

Miss Helene Fiedelick and a company of excellent soloists will present a highly entertaining one-act grand opera by those "killers of the gods," the music, Stanislas Stange and Jules Edwards. The plot is based upon a tradition in American history during the reign of King George the English queen, Mary, was offered a reward of ten thousand dollars for the capture of George Washington. It is a tale to dramatize with a patriotic appeal that is irresistible and may be briefly summarized as one of the most ambitious and most moving of the offerings of the week. Miss Fiedelick, who sustains the role of Marion the heroine, is a dramatic soprano of recognized ability and excellent singing and foreign diction. She is supported by a Kismet, Mrs. Wm. Schuster, a Kluge, Fred Hanley, John Rogers, a Puccini and James Wall.

Charlotte Fair, a celebrated and po-

Miss Patricia, artist well seen here in "The Cossack Mystery." Miss Patricia is a remarkable woman whom the critics pronounce to be the most versatile character actress within many years. Her entire play comes but twenty-five minutes, and she assumes quite a variety of characters in eight quick scenes—innocent, one of the "cossacks" intense as is the interest of the play as "The Cossack Mystery." It is not until toward the admiration accorded the actress when it is realized that with this character, the police captain and the sergeant, every part in the piece is played by her.

The Three Lighthearts who are among the most popular comedians on the American Circuit, will appear next week in a new version of "A One Night Stand in the Palace" at the Palace of the Hittites. Miss Phipps is concerned in the intricate plot and a quaint colored porter who never stand hot! It abounds in laughable dialogue and unique dancing.

Miss Seima Braatz, a dainty slip of a girl, has been called the genuine "Circus Girl" and the new edition of "Kala" will amuse the Olympia audience next week in Europe she holds the most of reputation as the foremost dancing and manipulation of various acrobatic stunts. Her small light one-act play to tumble and vault over the ropes. Her skill in the manipulation of billiard cues surpasses that of most European male jugglers and her performance

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Betty takes themselves in the police court, and some delicious comedy is seen. Warburton is fined for being drunk and a few other crimes, but the girl plays the part and a very promising little flirtation is shown between the girl, Betty Annesley, suspecting that this is the girl who Warburton enters the service of the play. Annesley is groomed, and the road of the play takes her to a very luxurious Washington home of the Annesleys. Something more than mere comedy enters into the development of the plot as the talk grows to a kind of paradise and was started as a joke becomes a very attractive one. The cleverest comedy situations imaginable are worked out of the efforts of the young soprano, Betty Annesley, and the personality of the comedian, the difficulties being increased by the discovery of his identity with the development of the plot. Betty and her new companion is delicious. May prepare a treat for the audience come to see it next week.

George Plafond plays the title role, in which he has been heavily before, and as Betty, Miss Florence Gaudier has one of those delicious, mischievous "roling pans" will be well. The rest of the company is well. The rest of the company scenic production will be another big DeLancey play, follows.

Bell

After the strong word at the Bell Theater last week it would not be surprising to find that the house hold over for the new bill which begins today. On

There is plenty of good legitimate comedy introduced by Albini, who is a clever comedian as well as musician, and the "Athena" Sisters, who give a charming and original contribution to dancing and singing in this new and valuable material to its artistic success.

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IT'S THE BEST I CAN DO OLD PA! WITHOUT MUSIC!

BY HECK! THEY AIN'T ENOUGH MILK THERE FOR A BABY MOSQUITO!

NEW YORK, July 17.—Stevory Smith, a daily farmer of Great Neck, N. J., came to town yesterday and got a summer supply of phonograph music for his cows. For the most part he selected light music, such as marches, with a little rag time for the hottest days. Wagner, Beethoven and Liszt, on the other hand, he thought would be sure to be served. His cows will continue to be served with music for the next months, as usual, to all who require them.

Stevory explained to the music store man that the phonograph harmonies have almost as good an effect on his cows as the yodeling of Lena, his former Swiss dairymaid. He said he had the only advantage she had over the machines was that she could keep time while singing as she actually milked the cows. That helped considerably, he said, until after Lena had married and left the farm and the milk supply fell off. That Smith realized the pronounced flow had been due to the soothing effect of music on the critters. Then he recalled the phonographs in the cow barn.

Now he wants to get a thrilling stormy kind of descriptive music, as he has a feeling that the sharp notes meaning lightning will curdle the milk. He can have butter-milk right from the cow in quantities that will enable him to make a good farm butter.

It was Stevory Smith who convinced the man of getting ages all winter by painting good landscapes on the walls of the cow house, so the layers would think it was good farm time.

MARK TWAIN
and the Poodle

The sidewalks of the avenue in New York like thronged. Moving at a leisurely pace a continuous stream of pedestrians carried a brilliant ribbon of color as far as the eye could reach. At Fifty-ninth street, at the most crowded hour, a small knot of persons had congregated. Closely intent upon the same object, woman who was just behind the group observed the cause of this little gathering. She supposed, and turning to her companion:

"How gratifying," she said, "Somebody is Mark Twain waiting for a boat and so many have stopped to look at him. He has his back to turn and I can't know a thing about it. Quite interesting, isn't it?"

Just at this time the women were arrested by the group. The real object of their erstwhile bewilderment was something new and different. Standing back of Mark Twain was a woman, and beside her a poodle sitting upright his mistress's purse held tightly in its mouth. The different of the group had recognized the distinguished author nor had a woman in him in the absorption of watching the

Cows of Music

WIDE OPEN

THIS SUMMER SOUNDS CERTAINLY DOES MAKE ME SAY, WELL MY DEAR.

GRACE

OO' GIRLS PIPEDE BUTTERFLY

10000

EMILY

YESSIE

IT WAS SMITH WHO DEVELOPED THE PLAN OF
THE BIG ROCK MOUNTAIN TRAIL
SUGGESTED LAND SCAPES FOR THE WAITING

As Rockefeller's Physician Sees Him

(BY DR. H. F. BIGGAR)

Mr. Rockefeller, in past years, health and largely to his manner of living— food— simple, low-calorie and nutritious— he simply has learned to avoid the lead drinks and never indulging in repletion. He sleeps nine to ten hours in the two- or three-day intervals, and avoids the "morning" slinks after the midday meal. He is a thorough, domestic gentleman, plus with a courage bordering on glaucoma. His old companions and friends, with a secret grudging to the new, and contemptuous and disrespectful to his employees. He is a lover of nature, interested in trees, flowers and birds, the gorgeous nature shies to him forever, and with the great desire of good health. His physical condition is equal to that of a man of forty-five or fifty years of age, not forget that forty is the old age of youth and fifty is the youth of old age. Barring accident, the youth do not that Mr. Rockefeller will live to the age of one hundred years old. His chief extracurricular

Oakland Women

WHO ARE SKILLFUL

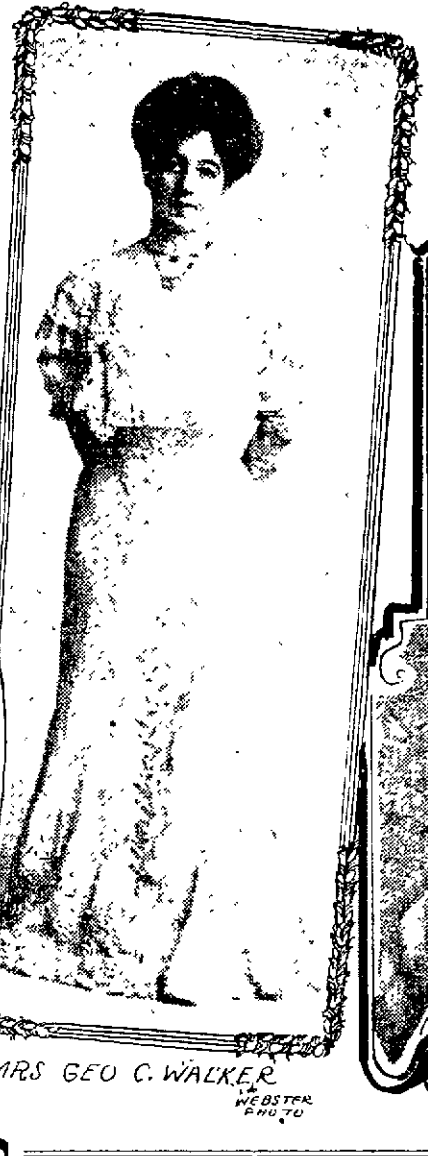
Auto Drivers



MRS. HUGH M. CAMERON.



MISS HAZELLE FOGEL.



MRS. GEO. C. WALKER.



MRS. FRED L. SIMMONS.

OAKLAND'S society women are achieving distinction and fame throughout the states as chauffeurs of their own automobiles. They are ranked with the most skilled motorists in the country and are rapidly making a name for themselves as equals of the opposite sex in this capacity. To ladies are very attractive chauffeurs and in the public thoroughfares, the women display remarkable cleverness. They manipulate their machines with perfect ease and seldom, if ever, lose their presence of mind with the declaration that they are equal to any and every emergency. Among the prominent women chauffeurs of this city are Mrs. George C. Walker, wife of a well-known builder and contractor, who gracefully operates as well as thoroughly understands her two seated automobile.

Her auto forms a potent factor in her daily life and she states that she could not do anything without it. The machine has proved a great advantage to her when making long journeys from city to city, as she is an extensive traveler. Her tool is to drive swiftly but very cautiously. She believes in making just so many miles an hour, regardless of "speed," to use a bit of local vernacular. Mrs. Walker said recently in an interview with a TRIBUNE reporter that naturalness was one of the essentials in driving an automobile. Before starting in the morning, from her bungalow in Adams Point she regains complete composure after climbing the machine and then, away, she is off.

Mrs. Hugh M. Cameron, who was Mrs. Joseph Gurdell, is a very clever "motorist" and was among the first in this city to become her own chauffeur. Mrs. J. C. Broadie is considered one of the ablest drivers on this side of the bay, where she is styled as fearless and courageous. She has carried off honors in several automobile races and was to have entered the San Jose automobile race on July 5.

Mrs. Fred L. Simmons, who was Miss William Swale, drives her own electric car with ease and grace. In her household carriage she rides many miles a day and derives much pleasure from the vehicle. Miss Hazelle Fogel is perhaps the youngest chauffeur in this city and she has had a pleasant task of driving parties out in the suburbs, where she maneuvers swiftly over the perfect roads of this country.

Women are law-abiding chauffeurs and despite their feeling of independence they are on the alert for the automobile ordinances which were enacted by the city fathers.

In certain street intersections or when turning corners an ordinance limits the speed at a rate not to exceed ten miles an hour. For the violation of this law a penalty is imposed. This places a ban on the women chauffeurs who rejoice in rapid driving. There is also a penalty exacted when the auto is not properly equipped with a bell, gong or horn in good working order and sufficient to give warning. It may be of such a size as may be necessary to secure the prompt removal of an obstacle and shall not be sounded except when the occasion demands it.

According to statistics eleven thousand automobiles are now whirling over the roads of California and each day the secretary of state at Sacramento receives a bunch of new applications for numbers. It is predicted that before the summer is over there will be more than 15,000 machines in this state.

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ALL MEN LIARS, SAYS PHONE GIRL WHO OVERHEARS "EXCUSES" TO WIVES

Plenty of Ready Fibs, but Hubbies Who "Can't Get Home for Dinner" Have a Tough Time Trying to Invent New Ones; Wifey Has a Sure Remedy

NEW YORK, July 24.—The telephone girl on evening duty at a suburban public station pretty close to the pulsating corner, Broadway and Forty-second street, thinks that she has classified the men folk all right. She says herself that she's "got the men's number," which means the same thing as classifying 'em.

These in charge of a rental and Tenderloin phone station and on the evening watch this telephone girl catches, you see, most of the "excuse" phoning trade, the business that is to say, of the more or less involuntarily downtown detained men who use the phone to explain to their wives why they can't be home to dinner.

"Oh-o-h, such hars!" said the telephone girl during a lull, picking her gum from the top of one of the unused switch pegs. "Such awful, frightful, terrible, hideous, dastling, inhuman liars as men are!"

The indictment was so overwhelming that she was asked to include "Oh, the outrageous lies they phone to their wives to excuse their not being home as they ought to be!" said the telephone girl, looking, however, not quite so horrified as might have been expected. "And their deliberate, cold-blooded, calculated counts of lying—coo!"

"Well," said the telephone girl, "you ought to hear 'em, that's all. Two of 'em was in here about 7 o'clock this evening were samples—samples of the limit."

They were men around 30, and both were what you call happy sours. They strolled in here in arm, sort of leaning on each other. They weren't so happy sours as they had lost any of their fortunes, though—men never become so far gone as to lose their fortunes, in my opinion.

"Well, what're you going to hand her, mate?" the lean one asked the fat one. "Secret, me," said the fat one, pushing back his hat and scratching his head. "Gotta put some new stuff. She's jerry to all the old comed."

"Important customer" from Omaha just breezed into town and you've gotta take 'em around," suggested the lean one, grinning.

"Naw—nothing like that," chipped the fat one, disgustedly. "That's an almanac. A D 1856 number. Naw! Gotta spring something new and neat!"

"Old schoolmate that you hadn't seen for twenty-two years came along and dragged you out to dinner with him?" suggested the lean one.

"Aw, tin those lumpy ones," wheezed the fat one. "I've tried to slip her that one fifty times, and never put it over yet."

"Gotta run over to Philine to close a deal?"

"Naw! Like it!"

"Friend of yours took you down to Long Island to look at a furnished summer bungalow?"

"Tried that last summer and fell down!"

"Man interested in settlement work took you over to the East Side to look the thing over?"

"Say how old I've think my wife is—about 6?"

"Your boss took you out in his new motor car and the machine broke down at Yonkers, and you'll be home as soon as repairs are made?"

"That's a bum one, too."

"Went to the hospital to see an old sickener that's dying of—er—babonic plague or something?"

"Not a chance."

"Follow let you wouldn't walk with him from Battery to his flat in the Bronx and you took him up?"

"Million-to-one shot."

"Man in your office took sick from the feeling soft-shell crabs at lunch, and you had to take him to his home—over in Borden town N. J.?"

"That also is a fib."

"The lean one grinned in a puzzled sort of way and looked around sort of hopelessly."

"Gosh!" he said to the fat one, "you've handed her most of the repertoire, haven't you, pal?"

Blaming Each Other

"Fred I have!" said the fat one, gloomily. "But say, if we're going to that show, why it's time to eat, and I've gotta pass her some old thing. Let's see," and he pushed his hat up from the side and scratched above his ear. "Gee, I've got it! I'll blame it all on you, see? I'll tell her that your wife's out of town and that when I met you on my way home to dinner you were picked up to the neckband and that—"

"See that, let that!" said the lean one, grabbing the fat one by the coat lapel.

"Oh, I meant for you to blame it on me, too. You know, I phoned your wife, and she said she was out of town. I explained the fat one. But I guess she's a shrimp number, anyhow. How'd it do to just tell 'em we're sours and that we'll be home next Tuesday week if the day isn't cloudy, and let it go at that?"

"Now I know you're crazy," said the lean one. "Let's go have a little gin and think it over," and out they trudged arm in arm again, and they didn't come back, and so I suppose they ended by not sending any kind of word to their wives."

"But the way those two did fan out what they called the old stuff, the excuses they'd used so often before, the way you wonder that telephone girls have got to be known before they'll consent to listen to the tinkle of their own wedding bells?"

Talk it Over

"The men that come here to send phone excuses to their wives don't mind the phone girl at all. They take it for granted that she is used to all that stuff—which of course she really is—and so they aren't a particle shy about discussing just what lies they're going to try to fix up for their wives."

"Why, some of them even ask me for what they call a new one."

"Had one like that once, a couple of evenin' ago. He was a careless-looking middle-aged man, and he was twisting his mustache and looking real reflective as he sauntered toward me. He gave me the number he wanted, and then he leaned over, not leerily or dirty at all, understand, but just in a business-like, matter-of-fact way, and he said to me:

"'Got anything new in the square-at-home line?'"

"I knew perfectly what he meant, of course, but I wasn't going to admit it. But my refusing to admit it didn't cark him any."

Suggests Book of Lies

"A thing that there's a great need for," he said to me, in a reflective tone, "is a sort of 'Everyday Book of Lies.' A little brochure like that would save these people, like myself, for example, a lot of trouble."

"For instance, if there were such a book on file here at the present moment, I'd be spared not a little irking thought."

Sometimes She Knows

"Not, of course, I am glad to say, that these men get away with their phoned lies every time, or anything like every time. As a matter of fact I should say that they don't put their yarns over more than about once in three times, and I notice that the men who succeed

BEAUTY SECRETS OF LOVELY WOMEN

Queens and Their "Make-Up"

Some time ago it was asserted that Queen Alexandra had discovered the elixir of youth in a certain enamel with which her face was covered every day, thus hiding the wrinkles which tell the story of advancing years. Anyone, however who has been close to Her Majesty on the occasion of a public appearance must have had their doubts as to the truth of this report. As a matter of fact, the Queen relies for her youthful complexion solely on facial massage and a certain kind of cream, the recipe for which was given to her by Queen Victoria, who obtained it from a popular prima donna of the 'sixties.

This cream makes wrinkles almost impossible, and imparts to the complexion that youthful freshness for which Her Majesty is so famed. The secret of its manufacture has never been divulged, except to two or three of the Queen's most intimate acquaintances, says London Titbits.

Scents and Soaps

Queen Alexandra does not care much for perfumes, although at times she uses a little eau de cologne and violet. On the other hand, the Czarina is passionately fond of the strongest scents. Her favorite essence, too, is violet, and for several weeks in early spring hundreds of women and girls may be seen at Grasse gathering the blooms from which the Czarina's perfume is made. In addition, however, to using perfume for her wearing apparel, the Czarina causes her rooms to be sprinkled hourly with rare perfume, creating an atmosphere which the average healthy English woman would probably find intolerable.

Of late years the Czarina has been obliged to "make up" considerably. Ill health and worry have ruined her complexion and figure, and when making public appearances rouge powder has to be resorted to. She derives great benefit, however, from a certain soap made by a Paris firm from a recipe which they dare not divulge or employ on behalf of any other customer.

Beautiful Shoulders

This reminds one that the German Emperor, just famed for her beautiful shoulders, gives the credit to a certain "spongy" soap. The preparation used, however, replaces the muscles, and at the same time acts as a deliciously refreshing upon the tender outside of the face and neck. Peppermint, and a solvent so cheap that no one would dream of adulterating it. Her Majesty employs, as a dentifrice, New-moon hay is her favorite handkerchief perfume, and the royal suite receives frequent admonitions of Jean de Cologne. The Empress powders freely, with poudre de riz, a fashion her august consort does not object to, although his strictures upon dyed hair compel her to refrain from attempting to darken her prematurely white tresses by artificial means.

The most talked of queen in Europe of late—Her Majesty of Holland—possessor of the loveliest and most delicate complexion in Europe. This she attributes not so much to "make-up" as to simple diet and open air life. At the same time she makes a daily practice of using in her bath a pint of the finest essence of Cologne, the purity of which Queen Wilhelmina tests herself over the lamp upon which her morning chocolate has been prepared. She is a great believer, too, in the merits of glycerine and rose water, with which she treats not only her face but also her arms and shoulders.

A Beauty Bath

Carmen Sylva, Queen of Roumania, places great faith in a special daily bath prepared by herself. Into the water she introduces an extract made from forest herbs, which she says is the best tonic for the skin she has yet discovered, and, judging by the beautiful complexion which Carmen Sylva, in spite of her 66 years, still retains, her praise of the merits of this extract is in no way exaggerated.

O You Darlink!

"Now, look a-here, darlink," he put in at this point, "you know perfectly well that I wouldn't think of trying to tell you anything that wasn't true."

"Oh, I know, I know, brighteyes," she purred him along, "and that's the reason I'm going out myself now for a little amusement. I don't exactly know where I'm going, but the flat looks pretty flat to me after all this foolish sitting around and waiting, and I'm going to get on my bonnet and shawl, and—"

"Wait a minute—wait a minute!" he chopped right in there, in a panic. "I'll be right up—just as soon as a subway express can take me. Don't you think of going out—I'll be right up!" and he lunged up the receiver and hustled out of the booth and said me for the phone, and dashed to the subway station like somebody going to a fire.

"That, by the way, is the thing that gets all of those excuses—the little intimation on the part of the wife that she's going out herself. That's the one number they can't stand."

"It most always stamps them when their wife at the other end of the line says in a sort of careless tone that she doesn't mind how long they stay out, because she's going out with a little party herself. It gets 'em every time, and they never fail to become sober and somber and gloomy jawed right away, and to beat up to their homes as fast as they can make it."

International Manners

A German lady, we perceive, has started a school wherein the art of eating is taught. Not the art of acquiring food, but the art of dealing with it when it is on the table. An international school of table manners would do as much as The Hague Conference to reconcile animosities. There is really nothing for example, in which we could not agree with the American if he would only come over to the British notion of eating an egg. Possibly the Rhodes scholars will think the matter out at Oxford—Westminster Gazette.

A SEASIDE DISCUSSION.

"Well, do the women agree as to the new arrival?"

"Practically, yes. Some say she looks like a fashion magazine and others say she looks like a back number."—Kansas City Journal.



MRS. J.C. BROADIE.

NUT MILK FOR CHILDREN

One of the Government's agricultural explorers has recently sent to Washington from Java a quantity of peculiar nuts, the almost-shaped kernels of which are utilized in that more part of the world to furnish milk for infants. When ground and mixed with water, the kernels yield after straining, a milk-like and very palatable fluid that contains much nourishment.

The nut in question is closely related to the Chinese olive and it is thought might be introduced to advantage in our own country.

A similar and highly nutritious milk may be obtained from fresh-ground coconut, by pouring barley-water over it, letting the mixture stand, and finally straining it off. The resulting fluid will be of milky appearance, but of fine globules of coconut fat, and most wholesome to drink.

Beans and peas, of course are just about the most nutritious of all foods, containing more body-building stuff than lean beefsteak. One may purchase peas now in the form of little wafers, most appealing in appearance, and extremely easy to eat, and which are particularly nice in soup.

CURIOUS OLD LONDON CLUBS

The days of quaint and queer clubs are days of the past. We do not hear at present of a "No Nose Club," or "Club of Beans," or a "Man-Killing Club," whose titles are suggestive of the "Silly Club" whose object was the practice of contradiction and of foul language so that the members might not be wanting in impudence to abuse passengers on the Thames or of the "Man-Hunting Club," established once by young limbs of the law, or of the "Lying Club," every member of which was required to wear a blue cap with a red feather in it, or of the "Scatter-Wit Society," consisting of wits, or of the "Hum-Dum Club," whose members were to say nothing till midnight, or of the "Two-Penny Club," a member of which, if he swore, was to be kicked on the shins by the other members, or of the "Exercising Club," which has not lasted long; or of the "Kitt-Cat Club," known after its tower of "Kitt-Cats and Young Kitts," or of the "Beefsteak Club," of which the following amusing description was written by one of its illustrious members:

Lake Britain's island lies our steak,
A sea of gravy bounds it,
Snailshells confusedly scattered make
The rockwork that our bounds it.

Reading the Lines

In negro churches, where the native clergyman was the only person who could read, it was the custom for him to read out two lines of a hymn and then for the congregation to sing them, after which he read out the next two lines, and so on throughout the hymn. One evening, when it was growing dark, the clergyman stood up as though about to commence the service, but instead of reading out the accustomed two lines, he said:

De light is burning dim,
I cannot see to read no hymn.
The simple-minded natives, thinking it was a hymn, proceeded to sing it, despite the efforts of the preacher to stop them. When at last they came to a stop, he shouted:

I only said de light was dim.
The congregation, to the clergyman's amazement, went on to sing those words. At last they paused, and the preacher, now thoroughly moved to anger, exclaimed:

De devil must be in on all.
For dat is not de hymn at all.
"Then, how?" he heard them strike up with this, he fled from the church, to the utter astonishment of the unsuspecting congregation.

CONCERNING HEALTH and BEAUTY

By MRS. HENRY SYMES

DEVELOPING the YOUTHFUL FIGURE



The young girl's corset should be loosely fitted

OFTEN and often I receive letters from girls and women asking me if their measurements are correct and giving them to me in detail. These letters I answer, of course, as I answer all letters; but I am sorry to say that a few of them happen to mention the most requisite information: Are your measurements taken over the corsets or not? Is it an artificial or a natural figure that I am asked to judge? You can see how important these details are.

The original standard for the perfect figure—Venus de Milo—was of an age when corsets were not known. Therefore, she was represented as having a nature perfect at every point. She represents to us a type that had never rendered her muscles tender and flabby by steel, nor had she hindered her growth by confining corsets. She was free and graceful, like all the women of Greece are said to have been. Her carriage was perfection, her walk was the poetry of motion.

Does not this seem to be an ideal worth striving for? I think it does, and therefore I want to address young girls particularly and tell them how they may develop along healthful lines, yet without entirely ignoring the details of modern fashion. Every young girl wants to look like every other girl; but when it is said that every girl should be like Venus de Milo, it is not a vain wish. It is a goal that can be attained with perfect health and comfort. Why not? Let us see. The wise mother will never put her daughter into corsets too early. She will wait until she is at least the age of 16. Up to that time, particularly if she is a little inclined to stoutness, she may wear one of the most beautiful substitutes for corsets which are pro-

vided in profusion. These have the shoulder straps, which carry all the weight of the skirts and save the young girl many an hour of suffering in later life. But her first, real corset may be boned in quite the usual way, though the wise mother will see that it is so large that there will be no opportunity for leaning—a practice dear to the heart of the young girl. The bones can do no harm if the curve of the corset is not too pronounced, and they may be very useful in supporting the figure and teaching the girl the value and beauty of an erect carriage.

Here the moulding of the figure must begin, but these first corsets should be carefully fitted. They should be loosely fitted, and the mother must be sure that the bust line is so ample that there is plenty of room left for development. Hips must not be laced and the waist line should be left as nearly as possible the natural size. In a short time the curve of the corset should be changed to suit the shape of the figure, but this must not be too abruptly brought about. There can be no excuse, in these days of knowledge, for a really bad carriage; and the mother who allows her daughter to mold herself badly during the first years of her teens will have a difficult task in remaking that daughter after she has begun to care for her appearance. Lay all the foundations for health early in life and a good figure will be the reward.

I cannot put it with too much emphasis: No mother should allow her daughter to depend for support upon her corset. Let her muscles have room to gain strength and to depend upon themselves. In this way only may perfect development be attained.



Too tight lacing injures both figure and corset

She holds herself well

Very bad carriage



Be sure that the bust line is not too tight

AIDS TO CORRESPONDENTS

OWING to the great amount of mail received and the limited space given to this department, it is absolutely impossible to answer letters in the Sunday issue following their receipt. The letters must be answered in turn, and this often requires three or four weeks. This rule must also be complied with in regard to personal letters.

Bust Developer

Dear Mrs. Adams: Will you please tell me the very best thing you know of to develop the bust? I am 19 years of age and have no bust at all.

Also tell me of something to fill out and develop my neck, as it is kind of hollow and thin.

What can I put on my face and neck to make them white?

I think if you take several bottles of the Vaucaire tonic for which I am giving the recipe, your neck and bust will soon fill out.

Dr. Vaucaire's Remedy for the Bust. Liquid extract of galega (roots). 3 fl. oz. Simple syrup 1 pt. M. D. S. Dose: 10 drops 4 times a day after meals. The dose is two spoonfuls with water before each meal.

Dr. Vaucaire also advises the drinking of the extract during meals. A little lemon juice added to the water in which you wash your face and neck will make them white. Cucumber juice is an excellent creamer.

The Freckle Cream

Dear Mrs. Adams: Will you please tell me whether your freckle cream will take freckles off that have been on for four years or longer. My face and arms are just covered. And, tell me whether it grows hair. The one to which I have been using is made of olive oil and borax. How many times must one use it?

Yes, the cream to which you refer will remove freckles of long standing, but, of course, it will take a much longer time to show results than it would had the freckles just appeared. It will not cause a growth of hair, and should be used once a day.

Falling Hair

Dear Mrs. Adams: Some time ago you published a recipe for falling hair. In some places there are bald spots the size of a quarter, and the hair is coming out all the time. Will you please publish the recipe as soon as you can?

Following is the recipe for a hair tonic which will stop the hair from falling out. I do not know if this is the one to which you refer, but I can recommend it as being a sure remedy. Better see a doctor, however, in case you have some scalp disease.

Cologne 1 ounce
Oil of sweet almond 1 ounce
Oil of English lavender 1 dram
Oil of rosemary 1 dram
Apply to the roots of the hair twice a day. It is positively necessary that the scalp should be kept clean. Shampoo at least once a week.

Dark Complexion

Dear Mrs. Adams: What would you advise for a person who has a dark complexion and wishes to be light?

Could you tell me what to do to fatten my wrist?

Are there anything else I could take besides Dr. Vaucaire's "bust developer" or breathing exercises to do?

It is impossible for any person with a dark complexion to have a light complexion.

It is rather difficult to increase the size of the wrist, but you may be able to accomplish this feat by massaging it with cocoa butter.

Cocoa butter may also be used to develop the bust, if you do not care to use either of the two methods referred to in your letter.

Recipe for Rouge

Dear Mrs. Adams: Will you kindly inform me of some kind of rouge for the cheeks that will be harmless to the skin? Also something to take out blackheads and take off freckles?

The following is the recipe for an excellent rouge:

Sulfate Cream Make-Up.
Sweet almond oil 1 ounce
White wax (melted) 1/2 ounce
Benzoin (finely powdered) 1/2 ounce
Benzoin (finely powdered) 1/2 ounce
Pure carmine 1/2 ounce
Blend the fat in the inside receptacle of a custard boiler and beat until they are heating; the rice powder and carmine while cooling; and the tincture last of all. Spread

If on the face gently and carefully, rubbing it into the skin. Also avoid putting it under the eyebrows at close intervals. Apply with any flesh-colored powder, applying fresh with a puff, and after a little while with a bit of vaniline. This makes an excellent skin cream, and it is a good look which this gives the artificial light. It is imperceptible.

This recipe for blackheads will be found very helpful.

Lotion for Blackheads.
Pure brandy 1 ounce
Colony 1 ounce
Liquor potassa 1 ounce
Apply at night, after washing the face thoroughly with soap and water, to the freckles.

Bathing the face with buttermilk every night will help to erase the freckles.

Wants to Be Taller
Dear Mrs. Adams: I would like to publish in the paper if there is a way of getting taller. I am 17 years old and quite short, and would like to be a little taller.

The only way to become taller is to take stretching exercises every morning and evening. Stand on your toes and try to reach up to a certain mark with the tips of the fingers. Every day try to touch a point further than the preceding day. If a person can stretch her feet she will appear to be much taller than if she walked along with shoulders bent forward and chin held down.

For a Girl of Fourteen
Dear Mrs. Adams: Please tell me how long my dresses should be. I am 14 years old and my feet are 10 inches long. How should I wear my hair?

You should wear dresses, reaching almost to the ankles. Your hair should be worn either parted or in a bun in a soft pompadour in the front. Braid it and tie it up in the back with a becoming bow.

Complexion—Proportions
Dear Mrs. Adams: Will you kindly let me know what I should do to make my complexion better? I am not fair, but I am not very dark. I am 14 years old and am 5 feet 1 inch tall.

If your complexion is such I am afraid you can do nothing to make it fair. It is a matter of heredity. You might use a few drops of lemon juice in the water when you wash your face.

There are no set proportions for growing girls. Each individual is different.

Hair Dye
Dear Mrs. Adams: Is there anything that will set the dye on hair so that it will not wash out in a few days? I have used a hair dye, but it never held on but washed out.

I do not believe there is anything that will set the dye on hair. Once a person starts to use a dye, it will have to be applied frequently so no faded spots will be noticeable.

For Freckles
FRECKLES are a great source of worry to the average summer girl, and, indeed, she has with her delight any recipe which will help to move the obnoxious things. It is well known that buttermilk is good for the complexion and will help remove the unsightly spots from the skin.

Another very good remedy is the juice of a watermelon. This is a most effective one which most girls will prefer to buttermilk, for it is not so sticky, and, furthermore, it is easily procured at this time of year.

When it is impossible to get the melon juice, a splendid preparation is made up of a mixture of lemon juice, one-half dram of sugar and one dram of cologne. Let the mixture stand a day or two, and then mop on the face with a bit of absorbent cotton at night.

Before the Doctor Comes
F ANY one of the family is so unfortunate as to sprain his or her ankle this summer, you will find that recipe make the doctor's part easier by soaking the afflicted member

once in very hot water. This relieves the congestion, and by the time the doctor arrives with the bandages the sprain will be ready for treatment. It is better not to wait a moment to find out how serious the injury is, for the water can do no harm, and the patient's suffering will be greatly lessened by prompt action.

ADVICE ON SOCIAL CUSTOMS

Mrs. Chester Adams most cordially invites her friends to bring to her their Social Problems and Perplexities by letter at any time

The Untruths of Society.

THE polite lies of modern society are no more numerous than they were in the same society several years ago. As a matter of fact, they have more or less fallen into disuse since it has grown the fashion to be brusque and honest sometimes far beyond the point of politeness. Nevertheless, some little white lies are used almost hourly; indeed, they pave the way of human intercourse. Without them it would be, indeed, a stony road. But in spite of their necessity it cannot be advised to sacrifice sincerity to hypocrisy any other than necessity requires.

Mrs. Robinson need never make it a point to rush across the street to enquire after Mrs. Brown when she really does not mean all she says; but if she meets Mrs. Brown on her side of the street, then decency demands that she be polite and say the usual courteous things.

If Mrs. Black goes to a party at Mrs. White's, she cannot say when leaving, "Good night. I had such a horrid time." She must in common decency say that it was a most lovely entertainment, even if she has the strength of mind to refrain from mentioning whether she enjoyed it or not. In this way part of the truth, at least, may be told and the other part left to the imagination.

There is a story of a certain lady who developed a mania for truth, who even advised any subject about which she could not tell the whole truth and nothing but the truth. On one occasion, as she held the hand of her hostess in a farewell pressure, she murmured, "My dear, good night. I had so much better

time than I expected." In this case her remark, while startling, was not as rude as it might have been. Suppose she had not had a good time at all!

A certain man of my acquaintance never commits himself for fear of telling an untruth. He will say, for instance, "It is going to rain—at least I think so. I am not positive it is going to rain, but the paper says so. I think it does," and so on until one could wish that he would just take a chance.

A polite lie is not really a lie; it is the concession every kind person must make in his dealings with others. We cannot all go around brutally telling the truth regardless of others' feelings, nor need we intentionally seek to tell a falsehood. A happy blending of the two—a compromise—whenever necessary will help to make life more pleasant.

The older generation, with their elaborate compliments, made the way through life almost too pleasant. This excess of pleasantness amounted to hypocrisy, which was as undesirable as excessive sincerity. It is not advisable to go about saying to one, "How badly you are!" and to another, "How ugly you are!" But neither may one in good taste pay too many compliments without being marked as too insincere to be worthy of consideration.

No matter what one may do personally, it is well not to ask others to forsake the truth.

If madam is lying down with a headache and she instructs Mary to tell all callers she is out, then she is asking Mary to tell a falsehood when the truth would be just as effective. If from caprice she wishes to be excused, Mary may admit the truth at the door, for it would be sufficient to send any caller away. By this procedure you can see that Mary may be spared the necessity of telling any untruth.

PERPLEXITIES SOLVED

Should I Apologize?

DEAR Mrs. Adams: If you will please give me a little advice I will appreciate it very much.

A young gentleman and I are angry, and I want to know what to do. Do you think I ought to apologize to him? I do not think I ought to. I do not want to be forward.

It seems to me that if you have offended a friend of yours the only proper thing to do is to write a friendly note and say that you are in the wrong. It is not necessary to be forward. You need not express any desire to see him again, or even be friendly with him. Merely say that you would feel better if you told him that you realized the true state of affairs, and that he was not to blame.

As to your being the young to go with a man of 30 depends upon what you mean. If you are engaged to him, I do not think he is too old to be your husband. It is merely a friend, there is no harm in that. For a girl may certainly have friends of any age she desires. If you mean you are allowing him to monopolize your time without a

proposal of marriage, then I should say that you were permitting a man to play with your affections and that you were putting yourself in a wrong position.

Very Ill-Bred
DEAR Mrs. Adams: What is your opinion of a person who is always using French phrases in his speech when I don't understand a word of French?

A person should never make use of quotations from foreign languages in the presence of a person who has no knowledge of them. To discuss topics or say anything which people present cannot understand is a sign of very bad breeding. Nothing should be done which is likely to make others feel ill at ease.

Accepting Invitations From Other Men
DEAR Mrs. Adams: Would it be proper for a girl who is engaged to accept invitations from other men?

I do not think any man would be selfish enough to expect his fiancée to refuse all invitations extended by other men. On the other hand, the girl should use good judgment and not accept too

many such invitations. If the fiancé objects to any one male friend, and has good reasons for doing so, I should advise you to cut the objectionable friend from your list of acquaintances.

Re-entering Society
DEAR Mrs. Adams: If a widow wishes to enter into society again, how can she make this fact known to her friends? AN ANXIOUS GIRL.

When a widow wishes to re-enter society she should leave cards with her friends as an intimation of her readiness to receive visits.

Postcard Correspondence
DEAR Mrs. Adams: Kindly tell me if, when attending a reception, the hostess introduces two ladies, three cards are sufficient, or should cards be left for the gentlemen of the house? Also, it is necessary when having shaken hands with the ladies receiving on entering to do so again when leaving?

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The rule is that a woman leaves one of her own cards for every woman in the house. If she is married, she also leaves one of her husband's for every man and one of the house's if there are many members of the household. It is not absolutely necessary to leave so many cards; two of each will be sufficient.

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Is It Proper?
DEAR Mrs. Adams: Will you kindly advise me through your columns if it is a girl's place to ask a young man to call on her?

Do you think it advisable for a girl of 15 to correspond with a young man of the same age? If so, and one of the girls should be acquainted with the members of the family.

A girl should never deliberately ask a young man to call on her. She may say what days she is likely to be at home and she would be glad to see him on one of them.

There is no reason why a girl of 15 should not correspond with a man of the same age. Make the letters friendly and interesting.

When a man is out with a lady or

ladies he should always walk on the curb side—never between two ladies.

A Girl of Thirteen
DEAR Mrs. Adams: I am a girl 13 years old. Is it too young to go with one who is just 15 years old? Also tell me if salt rubbed in the hair at night will help it to grow or will it harm the hair? AN ANXIOUS GIRL.

By "one" I presume you refer to a member of the opposite sex, and in reply to your query will say that there is nothing to stop young boys and girls from being good, sensible friends. A girl should not, however, monopolize each other's time, but should mingle with other friends of the same age.

SCHOOL for HOUSEWIVES By MARION HARLAND

Etiquette of Our Maid's Apron



Next Handed Phyllis in
Bretelles and Cap

WE ARE told in some devotional book that "Open confession is good for the soul."

Then should my soul and conscience be measurably comfortable when I confess that, when asked to talk today upon the subject set down at the head of this page, I rebelled strongly. There seemed to be nothing more in it than would suffice to make up a paragraph, say, a printer's "stick" in length.

Seeking illustrations precedent for my discontent, I reminded myself that Cowper had staid helplessly at Lady Austen's command, when he said he could think of nothing to write about "White upon my sofa."

He slept upon the behest, and began next morning upon the monumental poem in blank verse that will outlast time.

I shall essay no monumental bit of prose. These Familiar Talks are, at their best, but smooth pebbles from my brook of thought, designed to tickle and incense bits of heads of flowers and herbs of grace in May's daisy.

If I were to undertake anything like a complete history of the apron in ancient and modern life I should turn out a boulder as big as the whole garden. If you doubt it, look up the word in your dictionary. Then group hastily the references in sacred and secular story to the apron from the first black day that fell upon our world, when Eve stitched the largest leaves she could find (probably with a thorn for the needle and a flint of silkworm for thread) into the first apron at which we have any record. As you run down the line take in the mason's apron, dating back, say members of the ancient and honorable order to the building of Solomon's temple. Touch upon the bishop's apron, still a part of the ecclesiastical garb of the Anglican clergy. Do not forget Wordsworth's "Lute," with her apron blue, and the comely little poetess of other English and American writers.

I wish I had time to dwell longer upon the bewitching catalog I could convince you in half an hour that I am a poor apron, the most expressive article in her wardrobe.

Said some one to me the other day,



The Cover All
that Dances
at the Back

"The apron is essentially the badge of the housewife."

"Now, perhaps," I answered, "fifty years ago, a woman wrote them with the afternoon dress."

Such pretty, dainty, duffy affairs as they were! Farther than that—when I was a child—dress aprons were of silk colored or black, and embroidered. I wrought one under the eye of my governess, who had a taste for fancy work. It was black silk, a half moon of wild roses ran around the bottom and a bunch of roses adorned each pocket. I sported it with my best Sunday frock.

DOWN TO THE PROSAIC

I read last year that fancy aprons, trimmed with lace and furnished with the dainty little juvenile pockets of story books, were scheduled for next season's fashions. I would the tale were true!

Coming down to the present and the present, she is a sensible woman who reckons among the essentials of her wardrobe a generous supply of aprons. If you doubt how much soil they ward off from the gown beneath, examine the apron you discard for a clean one tomorrow morning. If you would guess how much wear and rub they intercept, note how long you may wear your working gown before it gets shiny in front and on the hips. One of the most elegant women I know, whose abundant means lift her above the need of supplementary housework, invariably wears an apron in the forenoon in her own home—a dandy apron, of cross-barred or striped muslin, two breadths in width,



Abigail in her Ruffled Apron Helps
Me to Dress for Dinner

Her husband avers that it "makes her look sensible and comfortable." Her college sons call it "cuddly," reminding them, as it does, that she was never afraid to lift them to her knee when they tumbled in to show the minnows they had caught and the wild flowers they had picked, or the chick they had rescued from a hawk. "Mother's lap" was the family hospital. If the apron came to grief in the course of the "cuddling," it was easily washed, and there were clean ones galore in her bottom drawer. Madam wears it while superintending garden and kitchen and closets. One pocket holds the scissors with which she clips and snips stems and leaves in arranging the house flowers she will trust to no other hands. A purse and a tiny needle book are in the other. She boasts that she "envies no man his pockets" in the forenoon.

CONVENTIONAL GARB

For the sewing room an apron of goodly dimensions and deep pockets is a necessity, not only because it defends the gown from fluff and friction, but to hold within easy reach spools, scissors, pins and other evasive implements of industry.

The voluminous kitchen apron goes without saying into the housewife's armor of proof. It should come well up to the chin and run well down to the hem of the skirt. If it have no sleeves, let her have a pair of gingham sleeves with drawstrings top and bottom to protect her gown, or her arms, if she have short sleeves. Now that these are fashionable, especially in summer, it is a pity that the woman who does her own work should be obliged to wear hers down to the wrists to hide the range-redened arms which John used to praise in their court days. Personal comeliness is as truly an obligation in the wife as in the betrothed.



A Dandy Apron of Cross-Barred
Muslin

when she helps me dress for dinner or reception, herself more than personable in the trim black gown and pretty ruffled sewing apron. She is good to look at, resting the eye and pleasing the taste infinitely better than if custom justified her in bedazzling herself in a cheap imitation of her mistress's wardrobe.

Pretension is always ridiculous and almost always a pitiable burlesque. Modest conformity to reputable and established rules and customs is sensible and safe.

Marion Harland

Family Meals For a Week,

SUNDAY

BREAKFAST

Peaches, cereal and cream, soft-shell crabs, cornmeal muffins, toast, tea and coffee.

LUNCHEON

Beefsteak pie (a left-over), brown and white bread, green peas, tomato salad with whipped cream dressing, chickens and cream cheese, fruit dessert, ginger ale punch.

DINNER

Tomato bisque (a left-over), roast ducks, green corn, fried eggplant, raspberry tartlets, black coffee.

MONDAY

BREAKFAST

Melons, cereal and cream, bacon and sautéed peppers, rolls, toast, tea and coffee.

LUNCHEON

Grilled sardines, baked potatoes, salad of eggplant on lettuce (a left-over), crackers with toasted cheese, stewed cherries, cake, tea.

DINNER

Corn chowder (a left-over), salad of duck (a left-over), string beans, green corn pudding, peaches and cream, cake, black coffee.

TUESDAY

BREAKFAST

Fruit, hammy and cream, flaccid eggs, potato blanchet, toast, tea and coffee.

LUNCHEON

Kidneys a la Newburg, salad of string beans and lettuce, thin brown bread and butter, cake and lemonade.

DINNER

Pea and tomato soup (a left-over), mutton chops, breaded and baked, green peas, succotash, peaches, cream and cake, black coffee.

WEDNESDAY

BREAKFAST

Bleed pineapples, cereal and cream, bacon, boiled eggs, hammy muffins (a left-over), toast, tea and coffee.

LUNCHEON

Breaded and baked sardines, fried potatoes, green pea, panache (a left-over), warm gingerbread and cake.

DINNER

Green corn chowder, boiled fowl with egg sauce, rice croquette, stuffed tomatoes, watermelon, black coffee.

THURSDAY

BREAKFAST

Melons, cereal and cream, bacon and fried tomatoes, quick white, toast, tea and coffee.

LUNCHEON

Chicken salad, with mayonnaise (a left-over), lettuce, tomato, crackers, chicken and cream cheese, stewed cherries, with sautéed raisins, cake, tea.

DINNER

Patato and young onion soup, Brunswick steak, green corn, vegetable marrow, peaches and cream cake, black coffee.

FRIDAY

BREAKFAST

Fruit, rice boiled in milk with cream, panache, cornmeal muffins, toast, tea and coffee.

LUNCHEON

Green corn fritters (a left-over), tomato aspic and lettuce, salad crackers and chicken, fruit dessert, cake, tea.

DINNER

Vegetable marrow soup (a left-over), codfish steaks, green peas, baked potatoes, mashed potatoes, green peas, baked peaches and cream, cake, black coffee.

SATURDAY

BREAKFAST

Melons, cereal and cream, cornmeal with fine herbs, griddle corn, toast, tea and coffee.

LUNCHEON

Scalloped codfish (a left-over), potato croquette (a left-over), green peas, chicken and cream cheese, stewed cherries, with sautéed raisins (a left-over), cookies and iced cake.

DINNER

Brown gravy soup, roast beef, onions, potatoes browned with the beef, home-made peach surprise (dressed), cake, black coffee.

THE HOUSEMOTHERS' EXCHANGE

A Stain Remover

A SHORT time ago I noticed in the Exchange an elaborate method of removing stains from linen. I should suggest the use of ammonia or wetting the stain and applying barbed wire of soda (taking extra care of which may be found in any household). Either of these also will remove white stain from the flesh.

Possibly, some of our readers may not know that by wetting a blood-stained linen and applying heat, the stain will be removed. Repeat the application if necessary.

If these methods are "black numbers" with your "household," consult this to the waste-basket.

GEORGE D. G. (Des Moines, Iowa)

Both are new in the corner, to the best of my knowledge. Let me thank you for writing so concisely. If our beloved correspondents would enter into the secret of the perplexities when I read charming, helpful letters in which I am "but one fault, and that is their length, they would study the art you practice—hat of saying much in a few words.

There I become me at the moment six "etters I long to print for the general good, and which must be laid over from week to week for no other reason than because the writers tell interesting stories at such length that I should have no room for anything else were I to indulge myself and entertain my readers by publishing them. I wish the authors could know why their communications are not brought into the light. The excursions of space know no law.

Not Wanted

Some time ago I read "D. D." requests for recipes for "Divinity Candy and Heavenly Hash." I sent both, and when they failed to appear I concluded they had found the waste-basket. It is a late paper I was a trouble for the candy; not quite the same as mine, although alike in some particulars. You have likewise printed one for "Heavenly Hash," which does not belong to the same family with "Di-

vinity Candy," as you supposed. My recipe gives the method of making a most delicious dressing for ice cream and for certain meats. It is very much like "tutti-frutti," but I think is not quite so good. The latter has been used so commonly during the past few years that I do not feel a recipe for it. If you think that anybody would care to have it I will gladly send an excellent formula for it.

My Way of Making Heavenly Hash

Five pounds of chopped pears, the same of sugar. Put these together and let them stand overnight. In the morning, skin out the pears and cook the juice they have made with the sugar until you have a rich syrup. Then add the pears and cook until they are just tender, but not broken. Add now a pound of seeded raisins and one of walnut meat; the juice of two lemons and four oranges. Boil all together five minutes, and can.

The hashed pears are the best for this conserve, and they should not be too ripe.

Mrs. C. O. L. (Owens, Mich.)

We have had so many recipes for Heavenly Hash (I write the term reluctantly) that I had resolved not to print another. Yours has tempted me to break the resolution. Readers will not judge me harshly after seeing the contribution above inserted. You have added a valuable bit of "canned goods" to our housewife's treasury. I can imagine with what zest it will be taken up.

My own store of canned fruits and of pickles grows better and more abundant with each recurring summer. I am now looking forward with pleasure to putting up Bartlett pears, "not too ripe," as you have indicated. If the tutti-frutti is better than this, do not withhold it!

When Frying With Lard

I am not now keeping house but I am always interested in the Exchange and am storing up a fund of useful information for the future. You tell me what to add to the dough when you find that your fried cakes are cooking up the fat?

2 Have you ever prepared young, crisp dandelion springs in the same way that you prepare wilted lettuce? It is a fine little appetizer. G. M. H. (Amherst, Ill.)

1. Instead of doctoring your dough, heat your fat to a degree that will clarify the surface of the batter as soon as it falls into it. Then it cannot penetrate to the interior. No matter how thin the dough may be, the glaze is impervious.

2. I am not sure that I know of any way of treating wilted lettuce other than by laying it in cold water to restore crispness. I have heard of dandelion salad. Is this what you mean? Will you write again and let us into the method of preparing the "fine little appetizer"?

Canning Pears

Perhaps this idea may be of use to some one who is fond of pears:

We got the hard ones as cheap in the early autumn, and baked them, leaving them well with a little plain sugar and water syrup. Having become fond of them prepared in this way, we tried baking them and then canning them in wide-mouthed apple-butter jars and sealing with paraffine. They were fine, lasting into midwinter. We mean to do it again this year.

M. K. F. (Chicago, Ill.)

Which leads me to inquire if any of the owners of useless cookers have ever tried canning fruits and vegetables in them. The association of ideas will be palpable to the reader when I say that my last essay with the "hazy stove" was with some very hard pears I feared to can in the usual way. We pared and halved the stony-hearted things and cooked them fifteen minutes, adding a little sugar five minutes before sealing them, boiling hot, in a kettle that had a tight top and burying it in the hay box. We opened the vessel ten hours later to find the contents piping hot and the pears so tender that a straw pierced them easily.

Would it be practicable to do our canning this summer without broiling our brims and muddying our complexions over a range?

A Last Question

An intelligent member, in offering yet another recipe for the popular Heavenly Hash, which everybody except my bright self seems to regard as an old acquaintance, says:

Before writing it I will explain that different kinds of fruits may be used in the combination, but I have found that three pounds of red raspberries and one pound of currants (fruit or jelly) form the finest flavor.

I liked wish to note that the cooking for ten minutes after the sugar is added depends upon the fruit, and, as some jelly more quickly than others, judgment is called into play in deciding as to the time of cooking. Too much boiling makes it like liver.

My Heavenly Hash

Four pounds of fruit, two pounds of seeded raisins, three oranges (juice and rind), four pounds of sugar.

Cook for fifteen minutes before the sugar goes in and ten minutes after it is added.

Turn into glasses and cover with paraffine when cold. L. M. (Morris, Ill.)

One word before dismissing our heavenly hash. The symposium has been interesting and amusing to me. The first four recipes gave us an uncooked mixture of oranges, bananas, berries, etc., some adding coconut and wine after the style of the "ambrosia" known to our foremothers. Lastly, the misnamed "hash" has taken the form of a marmalade, cooking long enough to insure its preservation as a winter conserve. Who is the possessor of the one and only original Simon Pure? One thing is obvious: All do not deserve the absurd name affixed to each.

Cleaning Plumes

Kindly publish in the Exchange a recipe for cleaning white plumes.

A CONSTANT READER (Havre, N.Y.)

Dip them into cold starch, rather thick, hang up by the stem of the feather and let them dry perfectly before you touch them. Then shake gently to dislodge the powder. Brush as gently and curl by holding first in the steam of boiling water, then over a hot range or in an open oven.

A Cook Book

Possibly "Eleanor S." (Onawa, Iowa), who inquires for a pure food cook book, published in Rochester, N. Y., and recommended in the Exchange some time ago, will find what she wants in "Practical Sanitary and Economic Cookery, Adapted to Persons of Moderate and Small Means," by Mrs. Mary Abel. The price is 50 cents.

We obtained a copy by writing to Henry Lamb, Rochester, N. Y., the Exchange suggested.

S. B. I. (Philadelphia)

I trust that "Eleanor S." will see the note and thank you for the kindness you have done her.

Yeast

Several of us members of the great family you mother have had an argument as to the proper pronunciation of "yeast." We have out the question to many persons, and as many say "yeast" as "yeast." We finally decided to leave the question to you and to abide by your decision as final.

Mrs. A. D. (Chicago)

The one and only right way to pronounce the word is to give each vowel and consonant due honor by saying "y-e-a-s-t."

I am flattered by the reference to my opinion.

USEFUL VINEGAR

HOW little housekeepers know about the chemical action of acids and the result they may obtain by the intelligent use of the provisions already in the house! Take, for instance, vinegar. Surely, every one's cupboard conceals a bottle of this useful acid, for the cook always needs it. But even some cooks do not know how useful it is in other ways besides supplying acid for the salad dressing.

When cooking cabbage or other vegetables where the odoriferous steam is likely to permeate the house, a cup of vinegar allowed to simmer on the back of the stove will make an aroma which will neutralize the other. This is a nice bit of information to remember.

When pickling and the time is almost here—do not expect to use jars in which greasy substances have been kept. If

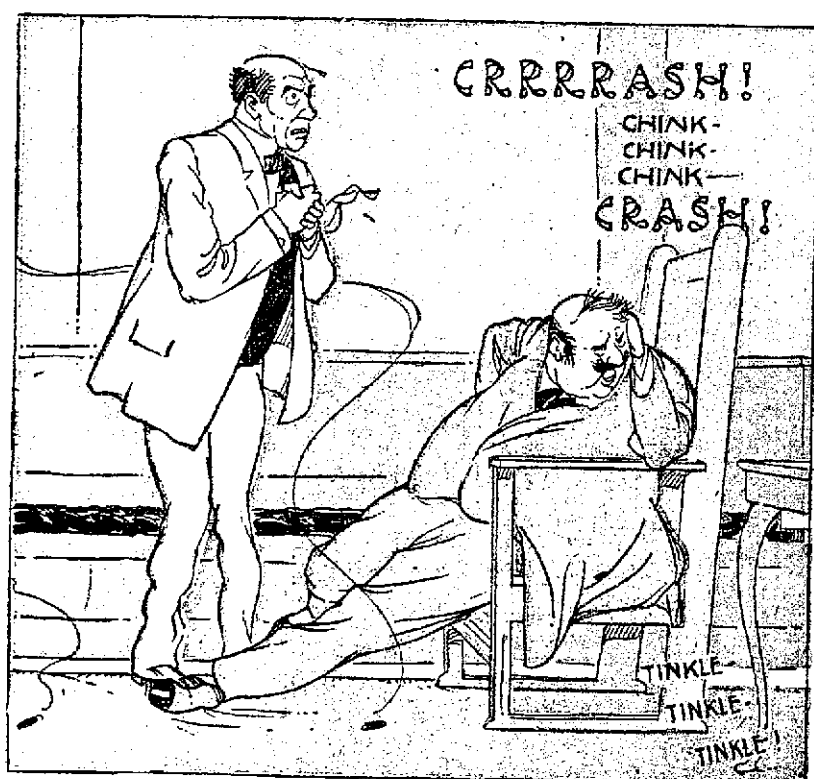
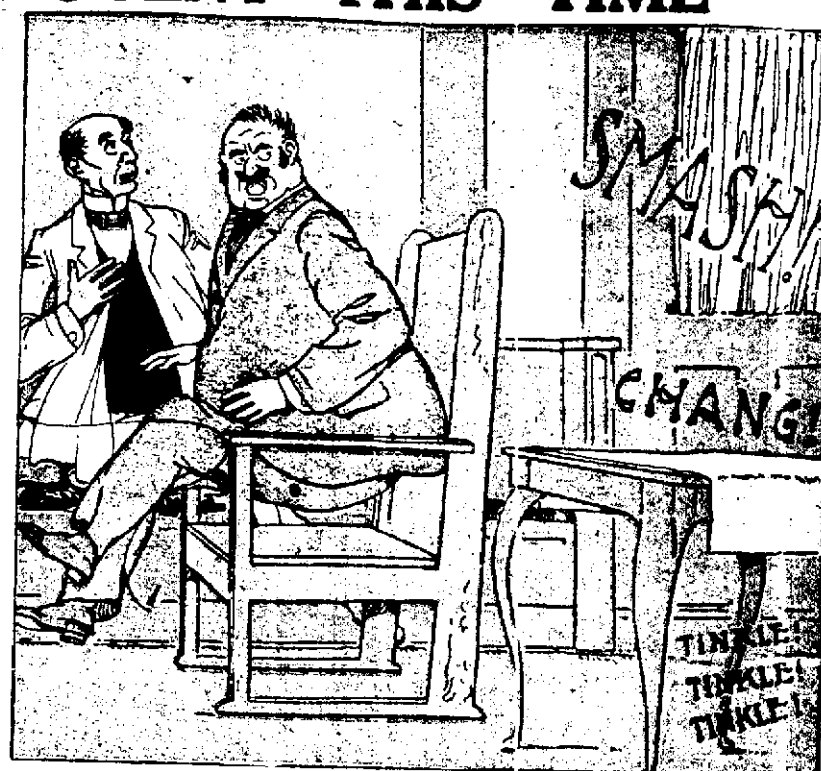
you do, all your careful measurements will have been taken in vain, for vinegar can ferret out the slightest indication of the presence of grease, and your pickles will not keep.

Should you go for the glue pot to mind a broken household treasure and find that the glue is hardened, use a little vinegar to soften it; it is far better than water. To remove hardened glue around the finished task, use vinegar, too; or otherwise you cannot call your mending neat.

Vinegar will remove paint stains from the window glass, and when boiled with wormwood it will make a sovereign remedy for sprains, while every child knows that when you make taffy you must add a teaspoonful of the acid if you want your candy to be crisp.

Don't let the bottle get empty.

IT'S ONLY ETHELINDA--SHE'S REALLY INNOCENT THIS TIME



THE FUNNIEST OF FANCY DANCERS



Finally Lures Maid to Him After Three Years' Endeavor To Get Her in His Clutches

Two other aeroplanes were to have made the attempt to cross, those of Comte de Lambert and Hugo Latham, but no word has been received regarding them.

It is noteworthy that M. Bleriot, who has successfully accomplished the feat that has been the ambition of aeronauts for years, has just been nominated for the Legion of Honor in recognition of his aeronautic achievements.

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Congressman Fitzgerald Demands Investigation of Why Government Paid Francis J. Heney \$69,125

The following from the Congressional Record concerns the fees paid Francis J. Heney by the government:

(Verbatim and official report in Congressional Record, printed July 19.)

Mr. Murphy. Can you tell me how much money has been paid to Mr. Heney during the last year and what services he rendered to the government for the money so paid him?

Mr. Tawney. Twenty-three thousand dollars, and no service whatever that year. (Laughter.)

Mr. Sims. I would like to ask the gentleman a question. The gentleman has stated that \$23,000 was paid to one gentleman for no service rendered. I would like for the gentleman to explain to the house how it comes that those of us paying out our public funds pay them out for no services rendered?

Mr. Tawney. It is claimed that he was paid that sum for service rendered in previous years; that there was no service rendered in the fiscal year 1909. It was for services previously rendered.

Mr. Sims. Upon the authorization of congress?

Mr. Tawney. Authorization of the attorney-general.

Mr. Fitzgerald. He was paid the additional money after he had resigned and had been paid and received in full for his services.

Mr. Tawney. I am informed that is the fact, although I have not been able to verify it.

Mr. Sims. Can not the gentleman so eloquently the language of legislation in appropriation bills as to prevent a thing of that sort?

Received \$69,125

Mr. Tawney. Mr. Heney was appointed assistant attorney-general of the United States on the 15th of November, 1904. He served for some time as assistant to the attorney-general and then was appointed as an assistant district attorney for the district of Oregon. He was then appointed district attorney for the district of Oregon, and served in that capacity a few months, and then resigned and was again appointed assistant to the attorney-general and appointed to prosecute certain cases as assistant to the attorney-general. His services extended from November 7, 1905, until 1908, since which time he has performed no active service for the government, as is shown by the testimony of Mr. Field, the chief clerk of the department of justice, which is printed in the hearings. For that total service as assistant to the attorney-general, as assistant to the district attorney, and as district attorney, he received \$69,125. These are the facts disclosed by the testimony of the chief clerk of the department of justice before the gentleman who prepared this bill.

I want to add that it appears from the testimony of Mr. Field that for the last three years Mr. Heney has not performed any active service in any of the cases in which he has been retained by the government of the United States. It is a fact that he has not been in full shortly before the close of the last calendar year, and that subsequent to the giving of that receipt in full for all services he was paid, on the order of the attorney-general, Mr. Bonaparte, \$500.

Asks Question

Mr. Barnhart. I want to ask the gentleman a question. I note that on page 11, beginning in line 11, "This appropriation shall be available also for the payment of foreign counsel employed by the attorney-general in special cases, and such counsel shall be paid for the same out of the appropriation for the fiscal year 1909, as provided in section 548, Revised Statutes of the United States."

On page 12, in line 5, it says "for payment of such counsel as may be authorized by the attorney-general for the United States courts and their officers, including the furnishing and collecting of evidence where the United States is a party in a party in interest." Now, I want to inquire if any part of these appropriations is intended to be used in the prosecution of the Indianapolis News of the New York World, and if it would not be possible for the attorney-general to use the whole \$67,000 in those prosecutions?

Mr. Tawney. I will say to the gentleman from Indiana that not a dollar of the money carried in the first paragraph of the bill is to be expended in any prosecution carried on in the fiscal year 1910, because it is a deficiency appropriation for 1909. The obligation has already been made, and this appropriation is made for the purpose of enabling the department to pay the obligation created under authority of law.

Mr. Barnhart. I was not in during the initial discussion.

Mr. Tawney. This is a deficiency bill. Mr. Barnhart. Has any part of it been appropriated to the prosecution of these cases?

Mr. Tawney. No, sir; it has not, as shown by the testimony of the chief clerk of the department. None of it has been appropriated for the prosecution of these cases.

Habit on Increase

Mr. Clark of Missouri. Mr. Chairman, I would like to ask the gentleman a question or two. I would ask if the gentleman has observed the fact that the habit of employing counsel and incompetent attorneys-general to help the incompetent prosecuting attorneys is increasing?

Tawney. Very materially in the last five or six years.

Mr. Clark of Missouri. Why do not they appoint men who are competent?

Mr. Tawney. I do not think it is increasing now.

Mr. Clark of Missouri. It has been in the last three or four years.

Mr. Tawney. Yes.

Mr. Clark of Missouri. Why do they appoint men who are competent to do their duty?

Mr. Tawney. I belong to the legislative department of the government and not to the executive.

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Mr. Clark of Missouri. I know, but you run this appropriation committee. (Laughter.)

Mr. Tawney. Oh, no; I do not.

Mr. Clark of Missouri. And the executive department of the government can not turn a wheel unless you give them the money. Now, it seems to me that they ought to appoint men who are competent to charge the duties of the office of district attorney.

Mr. Tawney. Mr. Chairman, I want to say in answer to the gentleman from Missouri that I do not believe his criticism of the United States district attorneys is well taken. I believe that the district attorneys appointed by this administration and by the previous administration have in every case been competent to discharge the duties of their office, but there have been a great many prosecutions instituted on the order of the department of justice, cases that involve a great deal of time and labor in investigation and preparation, which made the employment of special counsel absolutely necessary, and the employment of special counsel is in no sense an evidence of the incompetency of the district attorneys of the United States.

Mr. Clark of Missouri. Well, I will give you a sample now.

Craze For Attorneys

Mr. Livingston. Mr. Chairman, if the gentleman from Minnesota will permit, I would like to answer the gentleman from Missouri (Mr. Clark) in regard to one question. The craze for special attorneys started in this house, by this house, and not by the appropriations committee when you voted \$500,000 to the attorney-general for that purpose.

Mr. Clark of Missouri. The way they got that \$500,000 was a kind of a bluff game run by Mr. Livingston. Well, you did it just the same.

Mr. Clark of Missouri. I will tell you how they got it. There were no prosecutions under the trust law, and my recollection is that Colonel Hepburn of Iowa made a motion to appropriate \$250,000.

Mr. Burleson. No; it was the gentleman from Georgia (Mr. Bartlett) who made that motion.

Mr. Clark of Missouri. The way it was this: Judge Bartlett of Georgia then offered an amendment to a bill to appropriate \$250,000 to prosecute the trusts, and Colonel Hepburn of Iowa raised him his own game and made it \$500,000.

Mr. Tawney. That was Mr. Lacey of Iowa. It was not Mr. Hepburn.

Mr. Clark of Missouri. I want to say this: I will give you a sample of how it was run. In St. Louis they had as good a district attorney as there is in the United States. He was an ex-member of congress, one of my predecessors, was elected in 1870, a fine lawyer, and his proof of that was the fact that he made United States district judge out there since that time. They had a case out there to prosecute that ordinary lawyer—country lawyer, especially (laughter)—oh, well, Mr. Chairman, the people can hardly tell the difference between a better lawyer than city lawyers. (Renewed laughter.)

Mr. Mann. In their opinion.

Right and Wrong

Mr. Clark of Missouri. I never ran across one of them yet that did not clean up in a lawsuit. I do not care who he was; but notwithstanding that they had as good a district attorney there as there is in the United States, in any case they sent here to Washington and got an assistant attorney-general to go out there and supervise the whole transaction. He was a fine lawyer, but he had no more than a good lawyer could do. Just as well, and as the gentleman from Georgia, Colonel Livingston, states—well, it does not give the right reason; he is like a good many judges I have heard, who give the right way, but give the wrong reason.

Mr. Livingston. I did not have an opportunity to give the reason.

Mr. Clark of Missouri. The gentleman did give the reason, and the reason was that we fellows here forced this matter on the appropriations committee.

Mr. Livingston. You made it yourself, yes.

Mr. Clark of Missouri. My observation is that this thing of the employment of special counsel and appointing assistant attorneys-general has grown into a fad, and it is a very expensive fad, too, and there ought to be an end to it.

Mr. Livingston. And will but very few good results.

Cases Not Difficult

Mr. Clark of Missouri. And very few good results. It is not any more trouble to prosecute a peonage case than it is to prosecute an ordinary case for assault with intent to kill. If they had had a good district attorney in those western states when they began stealing the public lands, they would not have stolen so much of them; and if they can not find any good Republican district attorneys, they might draw on the Democrats for them.

Mr. Fitzgerald. Mr. Chairman, I wish to offer an amendment.

Mr. Madden. Mr. Chairman, the district attorney in Chicago prosecuted some of the greatest trust cases known in the history of the country without any outside assistance. He was the one district attorney in the United States who prosecuted Rockefeller and obtained a \$29,000,000 fine against Standard Oil Company. Chicago is recognized as the center of genius in the line of prosecuting attorneys. We have there the man who has made a name for himself. He has proved his valor and his worth. He has been able to demonstrate his ability to prosecute these trust cases without outside assistance, and I believe that if such men as the district attorney located at Chicago were appointed to these places all over the Union we would not need any outside assistant district attorneys.

Mr. Clark of Missouri. Mr. Chairman, I would like to ask the gentleman from Illinois (Mr. Madden) a question.

Mr. Madden. Certainly.

Cause of Appropriation

Mr. Clark of Missouri. Was not that appropriation for \$500,000 to prosecute the trusts made for this reason, that members were continually asking why the trust was not prosecuted, and the answer was always given that they did not have any money to prosecute them with—to hire detectives and lawyers, and all that—and for that reason that appropriation was made?

Mr. Madden. I do not know. The gentleman from Georgia (Mr. Livingston) first made the motion to increase the appropriation and make it \$250,000.

Mr. Clark of Missouri. Was the gentleman from Illinois there then?

Mr. Madden. I was here.

Mr. Clark of Missouri. Do you not know that this proposition grew out of that very state of affairs?

Mr. Madden. It was generally stated that there was not sufficient money with which to prosecute these cases.

Mr. Clark of Missouri. That was given as an excuse why the trusts were not prosecuted, was it not?

Mr. Madden. That was the rumor. I do not know whether it was officially given or not.

Asks for List

Mr. Clark of Missouri. Now, I want to ask the gentleman from Minnesota (Mr. Tawney) a question, and that is: If you have not a list in your possession of all these attorneys that have been compensated, and if you have I wish you would put it in the Record.

Mr. Tawney. I will say that I have a

list of the attorneys and the compensations paid to them, and I will say for the last four years, at every session of congress, that same list has been published in the hearings of the subcommittee on the sundry civil appropriation bill, and I want to ask the gentleman from Missouri (Mr. Clark) if he ever looked at it?

Mr. Clark of Missouri. I never did. But what I want is to have it put in the Record, where people read things.

The Chairman. The time of the gentleman has expired.

Mr. Clark of Missouri. I would like to ask the gentleman if he will put the list in the Record?

Mr. Fulton. Mr. Chairman—

The Chairman. A point of order was reserved by the gentleman from Tennessee (Mr. Garrett).

Mr. Garrett. I take it that it is not subject to a point of order. I withdraw it.

Mr. Fitzgerald. Mr. Chairman, I desire to offer an amendment.

The Chairman. The gentleman from New York offers an amendment, which the clerk will report.

The clerk read as follows:

After "States," line 16, page 11, insert: "Provided, That no part of the amount hereby appropriated shall be paid to Francis J. Heney."

Mr. Fitzgerald. This appropriation is a deficiency in the appropriation bill for the payment of assistants to the Attorney-General. I do not propose to characterize the conduct or actions of Mr. Heney, but when I find that in the course of four or five years, while engaged in important public business for other divisions of a state or municipal government, he received \$50,000 for alleged services to the Federal Government, it does seem to me that some check should be placed upon the possibility of paying him further for his supposed services, at least until some investigation can be made. I am further inclined to this belief, Mr. Chairman, for the following reasons: I find from an examination of what purports to be a compilation of the vouchers of the Department of Justice, that on the 8th of January, 1907, Mr. Heney filed his resignation with the Attorney-General as a special assistant in the case of the United States against Blinger Hermann. This was accepted on the 11th of January. Some time later—February 1, 1908, he was paid a claim for \$8000 in full payment for services as special assistant to the Attorney-General in the case of the United States against Lloyd, United States against Diamond, United States against Benson, and United States against Blinger Hermann. Yet in the meantime he had paid a further sum of \$3000 for services in the Hermann case. It may be that although he had resigned, and his resignation had been accepted, although he had been paid in full for his services, and at that time had received all told in the nature of \$11,000, he was nevertheless paid a further sum of \$5000 additional for his services. However, I should like to have that investigated.

Favors Amendment

This amendment, Mr. Chairman, should be adopted for several reasons. I find that while Mr. Heney has resigned as special assistant in the cases to which I have called attention, yet, under date of June 13, 1906, he was appointed special assistant to the Attorney-General of the United States, as the appointment reads, "to aid in the preparation and trial of such of the land fraud cases in the Circuit Court and District Court of Oregon mentioned above as are not taken up by your existing business as special assistant to the Attorney-General." And his compensation was to be determined upon the completion of his service. A hurried examination discloses that there are some twenty-eight additional cases covered by this appointment, for which he has apparently received no compensation. If the same procedure is to be followed, and if he is to be paid proportionately for his services in these cases as he has been in the three cases already mentioned, then this deficiency appropriation will necessarily be very greatly enlarged.

Mr. Fitzgerald. I do not wish to charge that the payments have been improper or that the claims have been excessive. I recall that during the consideration of the sundry civil bill during last session of Congress this question as to the payment of existing witnesses was brought up. The Attorney-General was asked for a statement of the amounts that had been paid to special assistant attorneys-general. He filed with the committee a statement, and after it had been passed by the committee, he was in order to ascertain whether Mr. Heney had received any payment during that year. This statement was brought down, as I recall it, to about the 10th or 11th of February, 1909, and the statement does not disclose any payment to Mr. Heney. A payment was made to him in 1907 or January, 1908, but that payment did not appear in the statement. Mr. Chairman, because it had been charged against the appropriation for the fiscal year 1907, and not against the appropriation for the fiscal year 1908, which it was assumed we had desired information concerning.

I have somewhat hastily gone over the hearings of the Committee on Appropriations for the past two or three years, and I have not found mention at any time of a single payment to Mr. Heney. He may have rendered these services; he may have earned not only all that was paid to him, but more; but it seems to me that when the entire appropriation for special assistants to the Attorney-General has never exceeded in single year \$135,000, that the sum which he has been paid to this man deserve some explanation.

Harsh Criticism

Now, he has in mind making some statements that perhaps might have created some sharp differences of opinion. I doubt the advisability, Mr. Chairman, at this time of indulging in harsh criticism or unkind comments upon this man's acts. I find that from July 6, 1904, to January 21, 1909, he has been paid \$65,000 in addition to that which he has been paid for his services as a regular United States district attorney during a portion of that period, resigning from one office and accepting the other. In and out, as it were, to meet the situation, and, in addition, for a considerable period has been retained by a municipality upon the Pacific Coast.

It seems to me that whatever may be their value, no one will wish to pay excessively for services of any character. My attention has been called to the fact that it has been disclosed that during these prosecutions on the Pacific Coast the same gentleman has received from a private source the sum of \$23,000 for his services. If he has succeeded in bringing to justice persons who have been persistently violating the laws of the United States and whom it was difficult to apprehend and punish, I doubt if anybody will find fault at any amount paid for his services; but it seems to me that this House ought at least, before coming to further appropriations, to take time to ascertain whether the money already paid has been earned or whether it is intended to pay some additional sums for services of the same character, which may or may not be of any value.

For that reason I hope this money will not be paid to him.

Mr. Sims. I want to ask the gentleman from New York a question.

The Chairman. The time of the gentleman from New York has expired.

Mr. Sims. I move to strike out the last word.

The Chairman. If there be no objection, the time of the gentleman from New York will be extended one minute in order to allow him to answer the question.

As to Heney's Salary

Mr. Sims. I wish to ask if the amount paid to Mr. Heney for the time covered by his services as shown by what the gentleman has read, does not equal or exceed the salary of the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the United States for a like time?

Mr. Fitzgerald. I should not think that would make much difference, because many men in the conduct of important litigation readily earn much more than the compensation of an entire court. The assistants in cases of this character have never been remunerated upon the extensive scale which seems to have been adapted in this case, and whatever payments are made as a rule are made upon a scale which is supposed to compensate in view of all the surrounding circumstances. It is well known to this House that even this Government would not long be able to pay at the rate that seems to be possible for this man in all of the cases that it is necessary for it to prosecute and to retain special counsel. It is better to provide much more liberally for competent regular assistants than to pay sums equal to those which have been indicated here as having been paid in the way disclosed.

Mr. Burke of Pennsylvania was recognized.

Mr. Sims. Mr. Chairman, I do not think my time has expired yet. I moved to strike out the last word.

The Chairman. The time of the gentleman from New York was extended for one minute, in order to enable the gentleman to ask his question.

Mr. Sims. I misunderstood the Chair.

"Pure" Pittsburg

Mr. Burke of Pennsylvania. Mr. Chairman, I do not propose to take the time of this committee in useless discussion, and I would not take my place upon this floor now if it were not for the fact that, willfully or inadvertently, I have been placed in the position of denouncing a competent and earnest and honest public officer. The gentleman from Illinois (Mr. Mann) in answer to the point of order raised by me during a discussion which was not pertinent, but which was out of order, stated that the gentleman from New York was a resident of Pittsburg; he was glad to learn, had risen in his place to denounce Mr. Heney.

Mr. Hill. The gentleman never made any such statement as that. He said "the great and pure State of Pennsylvania."

Mr. Burke of Pennsylvania. Very well, I am perfectly willing to apply the adjectives to either one or the other or both. Now, Mr. Chairman, my point of order was that there was nothing pending before this committee to which the gentleman had referred. I was denouncing an abuse of the privileges and patience of this committee. So much for that. So far as Mr. Heney is concerned, let any false impression may go out as to my attitude toward him, or opinion of him, I say that so far as my knowledge of him is concerned so far as my knowledge of his public service goes, it has been an honorable service and entitled to the respect and credit of the people of this country, and I do not propose to be placed in the attitude of denouncing the performance of his duty under the laws of this country.

Slaps Chicago

In reply to the gratuitous suggestion of the gentleman from Illinois (Mr. Mann) that he was gratified to hear the gentleman from "the great and pure State of Pennsylvania" take his place upon this floor, I only wish to state that the gentleman from the great and pure State of Pennsylvania very rarely rises in his place upon this floor and never abuses that privilege. I am gratified to hear the gentleman from the great and pure State of Pennsylvania take his place upon this floor, and I only wish to state that the gentleman from the great and pure State of Pennsylvania very rarely rises in his place upon this floor and never abuses that privilege.

Mr. Moore of Pennsylvania. Mr. Chairman, I would like to ask my colleague from the western part of the State a question. Did not you regard as highly complimentary the remarks of the gentleman from Illinois in regard to the State of Pennsylvania?

Mr. Burke of Pennsylvania. Any truthful references to the State of Pennsylvania must be complimentary.

Mr. Moore of Pennsylvania. Do you deny that it is a great State?

Mr. Burke of Pennsylvania. I do not. (Laughter.) But I do deny that I denounced Mr. Heney, and I resent any insinuation reflecting upon my character as a "pure and great State."

Opposed by Tawney

Mr. Tawney. Mr. Chairman, I trust that this amendment will not be adopted. In the first place, no payment to Mr. Heney or to any other assistant to the Attorney-General or to the district attorneys could be made out of this appropriation unless an obligation for services previously rendered now exists, for which this deficiency appropriation is made. I am informed by the Attorney-General that this deficiency is not occasioned by reason of any payment that has been made to Mr. Heney, or by reason of any service he has rendered to the United States since his present appointment during the fiscal year for which the appropriation was made. Therefore, to adopt this amendment would be to assume that the present Attorney-General, without Mr. Heney's rendering any services whatever, would compensate him for services that he had rendered in the past. I am willing to trust the ad-

ministration with the expenditure of this deficiency appropriation. I know it will not be used except to meet valid obligations now existing. I do not believe it would be possible for Mr. Heney to draw one dollar of compensation from this appropriation for any services rendered heretofore.

In this connection I want to say that the gentleman from Missouri (Mr. Clark) asked me to print the list of special assistants to the Attorney-General for the fiscal year 1909, which I hold in my hand and which I will do. I will say that the list not only contains the names of the attorneys, but also contains the list of the transportation companies who received compensation for traveling expenses of assistant district attorneys. So that members will know that when they see the Illinois Central Railroad, for instance, it does not mean that the railroad was an attorney, but that they received compensation for transportation to the assistant district attorneys.

I ask that this be printed, and also the statement of the Attorney-General accompanying the letter giving a list of all the cases in which Mr. Heney has received appointment and in which he has served in order that the House may have full information.

No Objection Made

The Chairman. Is there objection to the request of the gentleman from Minnesota? (After a pause.) The Chair hears none.

The matter referred to is as follows: Statement of appointments and amounts paid as compensation to Francis J. Heney, special assistant to Attorney-General.

APPOINTMENTS.

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Francis J. Heney, special assistant to the Attorney-General in proceedings to remove F. A. Hyde and others from California to District of Columbia; appointed January 23, 1904. Oath, February 24, 1904.

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the Attorney-General, to assist United States attorney, Oregon. Oath, November 2, 1903.

Francis J. Heney, Portland, Ore., resignation as special assistant to the Attorney-General in re United States vs. Puter, et al., and Taylor, et al., accepted, and took effect at close of business December 16, 1904.

Francis J. Heney, special assistant to the Attorney-General; appointed December 2, 1903, in case of United States vs. F. A. Hyde, United States vs. H. P. Dimond, United States vs. John A. Heney, and United States vs. Blinger Hermann, pending in Supreme Court, District of Columbia. Compensation to be determined by the Attorney-General on completion of services. Oath, December 2, 1903.

Francis J. Heney, special assistant to the Attorney-General; appointed June 13, 1906, to aid in preparation and trial of such of the land fraud cases in the Circuit and District Courts for Oregon numbered below as are not covered by existing appointments as special assistant to the Attorney-General. Nos. 2789, 2885, 2805, 2809, 2857, 2892, 2893, 2897, 2898, 2899, 2907, 2908, 2909, 2910, 2911, 2912, 2914, 2918, 2937, 2938, 2940, 2941, 2942, 2943, 2944, 2945, 2947, 2957, 2958, 2961, and 2962, pending in Circuit Court for Oregon, and Nos. 4735, 4750 and 4751, pending in District Court for Oregon. Compensation to be determined by the Attorney-General on completion of service.

Francis J. Heney, special assistant to the Attorney-General; oath, June 29, 1906.

Francis J. Heney, special assistant to the Attorney-General in case of United States vs. Blinger Hermann, in Supreme Court, District of Columbia; resignation accepted January 8, 1907, to take effect immediately.

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SCHOOL BOARD TO MOVE QUARTERS

Central Bank Building Will Be Temporary Home of Educational Department

Superintendent of Schools McGowan has secured the Central Bank Building as a temporary home for the educational department of the city. The building is located at the corner of 13th and Washington streets and is a fine structure. It will be used for the offices of the superintendent and his staff, and for the offices of the various departments of the school system. The building is a fine example of modern architecture and is well equipped with all the necessary facilities for the work of the school system.

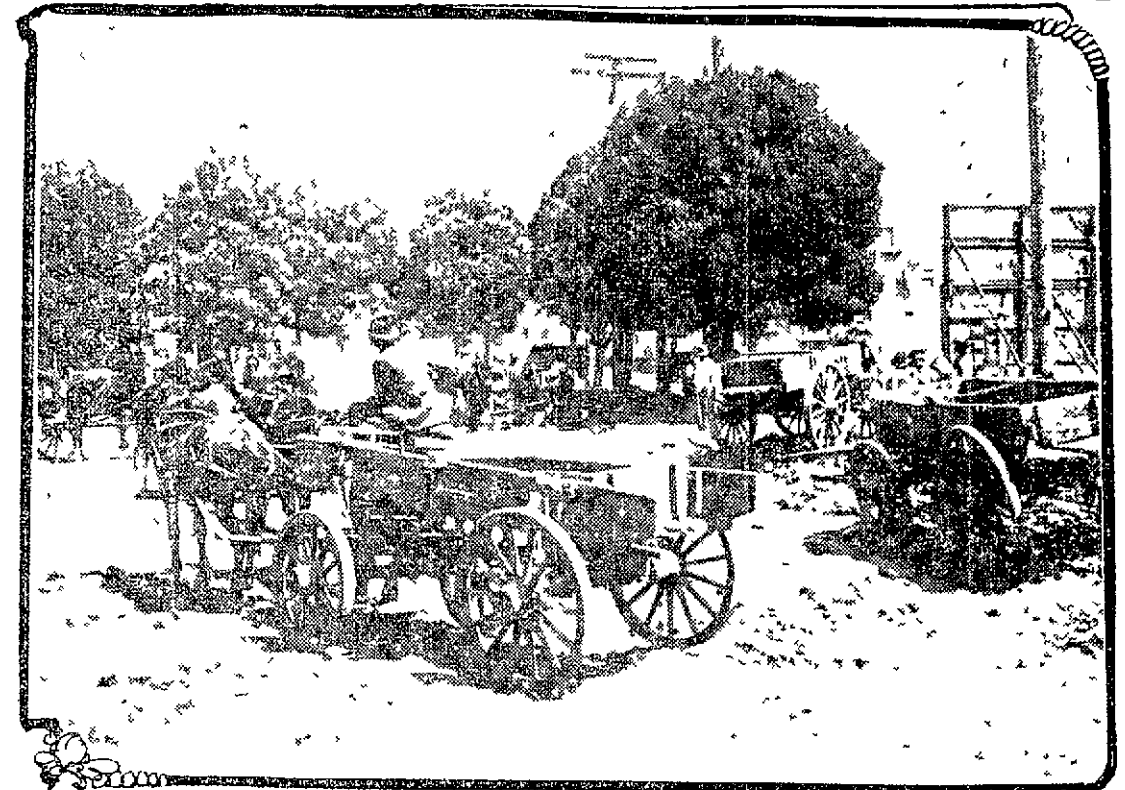
WOMAN AGREES TO DROP PROSECUTION

SAN FRANCISCO, July 24.—Mrs. Carrie Bunker, who was arrested several days ago for the murder of her husband, has agreed to drop the prosecution against her. Mrs. Bunker was arrested on the charge of murdering her husband, who was found dead in his apartment. She had been in the apartment for several days before she was arrested. She had been in the apartment for several days before she was arrested. She had been in the apartment for several days before she was arrested.

TROY SAYS REJECT CROSS-TOWN FRANCHISE

SAN FRANCISCO, July 24.—A communication was sent to the Board of Supervisors today by the city of Troy, N. Y., in which it is requested that the city of Troy be granted a franchise to operate a cross-town franchise. The city of Troy is a small city in the state of New York and is located in the Adirondack region. It is a beautiful city with many scenic views. The city of Troy is a small city in the state of New York and is located in the Adirondack region. It is a beautiful city with many scenic views.

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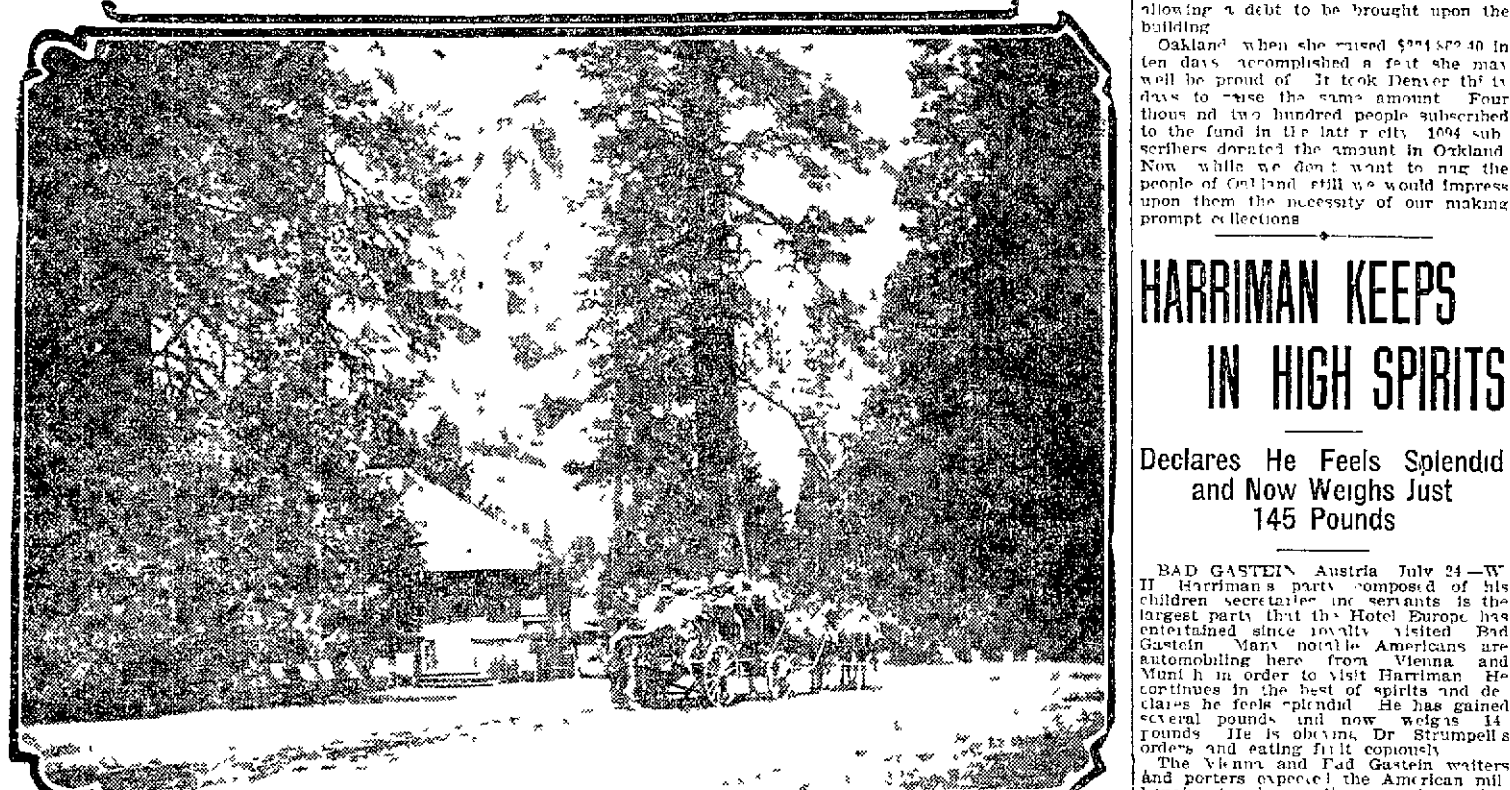


TEAMS AT WORK ON EXCAVATION FOR THE Y. M. C. A. BUILDING

Excavating is in progress on the site upon which will be the new Y. M. C. A. building. The excavation is being done by a team of men and horses. The building will be a large, modern structure with many rooms. It will be a fine addition to the city and will be a great benefit to the community. The building will be a large, modern structure with many rooms. It will be a fine addition to the city and will be a great benefit to the community.

Camp Ahwahnee—The Ideal Yosemite Valley's Most Picturesque Stopping Place.

Its Many Delights for the Tourist in this California Wonderland. A Village of Tents Among the Pines.



THE LODGE AT AHWAHNEE WITH BEAUTIFUL YOSEMITE FALLS IN THE BACKGROUND

By A Visitor

In the heart of the Yosemite Valley, where the great granite cliffs rise up like sentinels, and the great waterfalls pour down like silver threads, there is a place of great beauty and interest. This is Camp Ahwahnee, a village of tents situated in a beautiful, wooded area. The camp is a fine example of modern architecture and is well equipped with all the necessary facilities for the work of the school system. The building will be a large, modern structure with many rooms. It will be a fine addition to the city and will be a great benefit to the community.

Oakland's Most Progressive Store.

ABRAHAMSONS

S. E. Cor. 13th and Washington Streets

MONDAY'S EXTRAORDINARY SALE OF

Corset Cover Embroidery and Embroidery Flouncing

AT ABOUT ONE-HALF PRICE

2500 yards of the finest Cambric, Naaseek and Swiss 16 inch Embroideries at about one-half their ordinary value.

The flouncing is finely worked on Swiss and Naaseek and come in dainty floral conventional French blind English eyelet and fish point patterns. The corset covering has the binding edge and comes worked on strong fine cambric in pretty new effects.

19c yd for Corset Cover Embroideries worth to 40c
35c yd for Embroidery Flouncing worth to 75c

Silks For Monday

All Silk Princess Messahire, 50c

Our regular 75c all-silk Princess Messahire, 19 inches wide in all the latest shades including navy blue Copenhagen old rose, catwaba brown London smoke grey, reseda and peacock. On sale at 50c yard.

Yard Wide Taffeta

85c Yard

Our regular \$1.15 all-silk Black Chiffon Taffeta, 36 inches wide. On sale at 85c yard.

A Suit Offering of Exceptional Merit

On Sale Monday

They are the early Fall styles, made of plain or shadow striped all-wool serges, lined with all-silk lining, the tail ring is the best that can be had, all colors, including navy, black, rose, smoke, light grey, peacock and catwaba. This is an opportunity to buy a Fall Suit at less than the cost of the materials alone. Not a suit worth less than \$25.00.

On Sale at \$15.00

Dress Skirts

Made of navy and black Panama or black and white check all-wool suiting, trimmed with wide folds and snapping.

\$5.00 \$5.00

On Sale at \$5.00

Household Department

New patterns—Bungalow Scrims, 40 inches wide, just the thing for bungalow curtains and side drapes. On sale, special at 22 1/2c yard.

Full size Tapestry Couch Covers, 60 inches by 3 yards good assortment of patterns, regular \$2.25 value. Sale price \$1.48 each.

72-inch extra heavy silver bleached all-linen Table Damask regular \$1.25 value. Sale price 95c yard.

72-inch full bleached all-linen Satin Damask Table Damask regular \$1.25 value. Sale price \$1.00 yard.

22x22 inch full bleached Damask Table Napkins, regular \$2.50 value. Sale price \$1.75 dozen.

20x20-inch Bleached All-linen Table Napkins regular \$2.00 value. Special sale price \$1.45 dozen.

Final Clearance Broken Lines of Waists, Children's and Infants' Goods

On the Fourth Floor

These lots that are offered are the remainder of our best selling numbers. They are all this season's goods and with a few exceptions are all in good condition, those that are not are only muscled from handling. Sale begins Monday at 8:30.

35c Children's Skirts for	19c
25c Children's Drawers for	10c
75c Baby Lawn Bonnets for	25c
75c Pique Hats for	25c
50c Sun Bonnets for	10c
75c Colored Waist Shirts for	25c
\$1.00 Ladies' Muslin Petticoats for	49c
\$3.95 Boys' Galatea Wash Suits for	\$1.50
\$1.00 Ladies' Chemise for	50c
85c Children's Overalls for	50c
\$1.00 Children's Wash Dresses for	50c
\$1.00 Ladies' Suit Waists for	50c
\$5.00 Ladies' Sweaters for	\$2.45
\$1.95 Striped Featherbloom Petticoats	\$1.25

HARRIMAN KEEPS IN HIGH SPIRITS

Declares He Feels Splendid and Now Weighs Just 145 Pounds

SAN FRANCISCO, July 24.—W. H. Harriman, a party composed of his children, secretary, and servants is the largest party that the Hotel Europe has ever entertained since it was built. Harriman is a man of great energy and is a great lover of the outdoors. He is a man of great energy and is a great lover of the outdoors. He is a man of great energy and is a great lover of the outdoors.

We Recommend the Copo d'Oro Brand OF WINES

"The moderate use of all good things is healthful, helpful temperance. In your selection of good things get the best."

The Winedale Co.

373-375 Thirteenth Street

Opposite Southern Pacific Narrow Gauge Depot

Phones—Oakland 99, A-1999.

We Are Overstocked on DRESSERS AND CHIFFONIERS

Commencing tomorrow (Monday), July 26th, and until September 1st, we will offer all Dressers and Chiffoniers on **TERMS TO SUIT** at our regular cash prices, which are conceded the lowest in town, quality considered.

\$5.00 Down---\$1.00 Per Week

**On all Dressers
and Chiffoniers**

EXTRA SPECIAL DRESSER BARGAIN

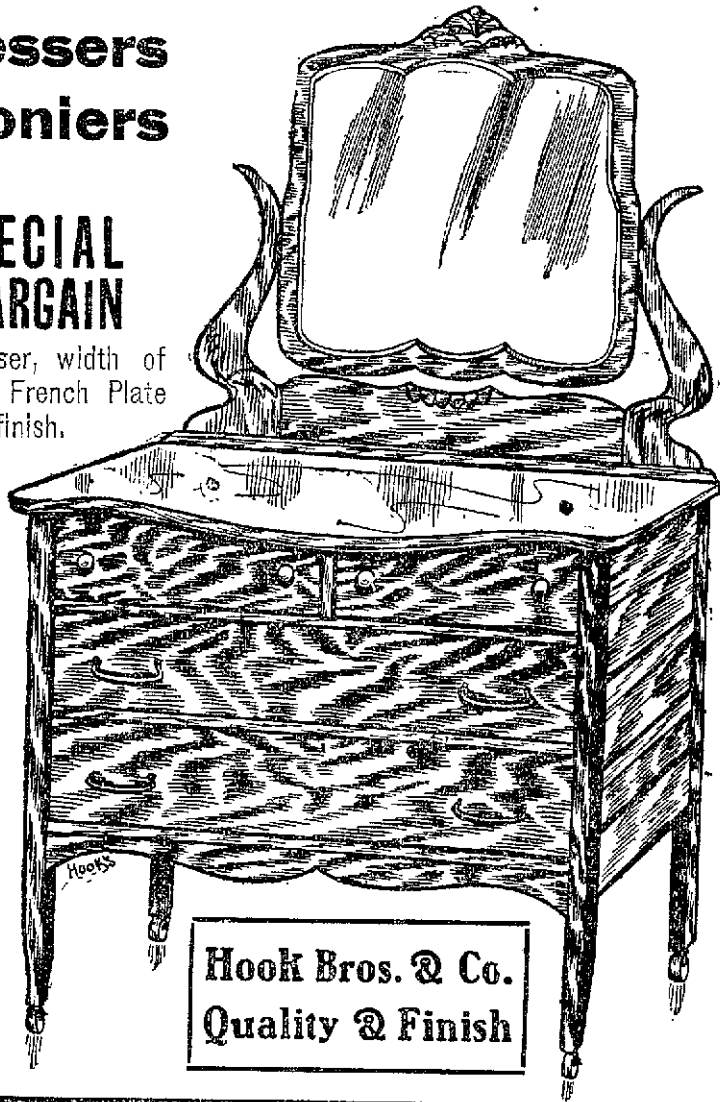
This Solid Oak Dresser, width of base, 40 inches; with French Plate mirror 18x24; golden finish.

SPECIAL

\$13.50

\$1 Down--\$1 Per Week

**HOOK
Bros. Co.**
12th St., Near Broadway



Hook Bros. & Co.
Quality & Finish

GEARY BOND VOTE IS RECOMMENDED

Supervisors' Committee Makes
Report in Favor of
Resubmission

SAN FRANCISCO, July 24.—The public utilities committee of the Board of Supervisors drafted a report today, formally recommending to the board that the question of issuing bonds for the conversion of the Geary street road be resubmitted to the voters at an early date. While no definite day is suggested for the election, it is explained that it will not be possible, in view of the other work which the department of elections has in charge, to hold the special election earlier than the first week in December.

Main Question Settled

On the main question of whether the road shall be reconstructed and operated as a municipal system or shall be turned over to a private corporation under a new franchise, the committee holds that there is no room for argument, insisting that if such a franchise is granted the people would nullify it, as under the charter they would have the right to do. The report is as follows:

"To grant a franchise to a private corporation your committee considers would be impracticable as well as impolitic. To do so would be to act in opposition to a large majority of the voters, as expressed at the last election. Moreover, the charter provides that any franchise, before it becomes effective, is open to veto by the people. It has been freely prophesied that this procedure would be invoked in case a franchise grant should be attempted.

Easy to Vote Franchise

"Inasmuch as the public ownership proposition received very near the two-thirds vote required to issue bonds, we think it but reasonable that it will be easier for those who favor the project to win 400 votes from the opposition than it will be for the minority to gain 400 votes from their opponents, which would be necessary to insure the granting of a franchise. With these views and with a determination to effect as speedy a change as is possible in the present operation of the road, your committee recommends the early submission of the matter.

"A conference with the department of elections discloses the condition that it will be impossible to hold a special election until after the coming municipal election, and that the granting of the franchise as soon as the election in December is held. Procedure, therefore, need not be commenced until October, and will then be initiated by this committee."

The Geary Street Railway Promotion Association urges that the election should be held on October 15 or week earlier, and sets forth reasons as follows:

Arguments for October

The polling booths will all be up at that date in readiness for the general election of November 2. Postage on one set of the registrar's notices to each voter of his polling place and sample ballot may be saved by sending both prior to October 15.

October 16 will be a Saturday, permitting many men, clerks and employers or business men, to vote during their half holiday. The same would apply to preceding Saturday, October 9, 1909.

Practically all voters will have been registered October 10. The "spoil" of voting is then in the air.

Moderate weather may be expected October 16, but not in late November or in December.

Many voters will have changed residence between October 15 and December.

Other Drawbacks

Only about one-third of the booths are erected in December, or remain up. This is, in all special elections, and particularly in this Geary street bond matter, a just cause of complaint from voters compelled to travel sometimes ten blocks out of their way.

Shortest time of the year are in December, and all store clerks are working evenings preparing for holidays.

The association, which has headquarters in the Pacific building, invites all civic and industrial organizations to join in demanding an October election.

The only difference is the price. I will guarantee to fit your eyes. (Cliss, cut rate optician, 1059 Broadway.)

Red Eyes and Swellings, Weak Eyes and Thred Eyes Need Mirbhe Eye Tonic

Newbro's Herpicide



WHAT HERPICIDE DOES

Newbro's Herpicide destroys the tiny vegetable growth in the scalp that causes dandruff, itching scalp, falling hair and baldness. Once this microscopic enemy of the hair is destroyed, and kept out of the scalp, the hair is bound to grow as nature intended, except in cases of chronic baldness.

WHAT SUNLIGHT DOES

Sunlight is nature's great germ destroyer and prophylactic. The effect of sunlight upon the scalp proves highly beneficial. If a complete plan of scalp cleanliness is carried out. This cannot be done without the use of Herpicide, which prevents reinfection and keeps the scalp pure and wholesome.

More men and women have better positive results from the use of Newbro's Herpicide than from all other hair remedies combined.

HOT WEATHER TROUBLES

The perspiration that exudes in increased quantities during the summer months carries out poisonous and refuse matter that would otherwise clog up the pores of the scalp.

Incomplete elimination of this waste produces a hot and feverish condition of the sweat glands, known as Eczema, for which Herpicide gives immediate relief. Herpicide stops itching of the scalp almost instantly.

Col. Thompson, Member of the Board of Managers of the Ohio Penitentiary, writes as follows of Newbro's Herpicide:

"As to Herpicide, I find it an excellent hair dressing as well as being the first and only absolute dandruff cure. Upon my advice a number of my friends are using Herpicide, and the unanimous verdict is that Herpicide is, in all respects, everything that its manufacturers claim for it."

Send 10 cents in stamps to THE HERPICIDE COMPANY, Dept. 27, Detroit, Mich. for sample and booklet. Two sizes, 50c and \$1.00. At drug stores. When you call for Herpicide, do not accept a substitute. Applications at prominent barber shops.

FOR SALE AT ALL DRUG STORES.

IN SAN FRANCISCO SOCIETY

SAN FRANCISCO, July 24.—Pleasant indeed is the news of the engagement of Miss Brooke Rose to Frederick P. Hastings. Miss Rose, who is the daughter of the Hon. A. H. Rose and niece of Mrs. Selden Wright, is a beautiful and attractive girl of the petite southern type, and like the rest of her family, has always been identified with the exclusive southern set, closely related to the Haggins, Tevis, Gwinn and many others.

Miss Rose has recently returned to San Francisco after an absence of two or three years in Honolulu and Japan, and is at present a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Kirkham Wright.

Mr. Hastings' family is as prominently connected in the north as his fiancée is in the south. He is a graduate of the Boston Conservatory of Music, and is gifted with a superb voice, which has been heard frequently in concerts in connection with Mme. Nordica.

This wonderful musical talent he has inherited from his grandfather, Thomas Hastings, who composed among other beautiful hymns that of "Rock of Ages." No date as yet has been set for the wedding, but it is whispered that it will be one of the events of the early fall, and many entertainments are now being planned in honor of this attractive Californian.

Extensive schemes are being concocted for Portola Week, and from all accounts Madame de Montclair will be without an idle moment. Queen Virginia Dugue and her maids and Don Gaspar and the dapper ones will all claim their share of admiration. One hundred of the most

prominent young men of California, who are known as the Portola Dragons, and are to act not only as the guard of honor for Don Gaspar de Portola in his triumphal entry to his own city by the old Tule river, but also as the escort for the bride.

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as flower girls and precede the bride to the altar, standing her pathway with roses. Robert Blake will assume the duties of best man for the bridegroom, who is one of Berkeley's best known architects.

BOY ACTOR CAUSE OF MANAGER'S ARREST

SAN FRANCISCO, July 24.—A warrant was issued today for the arrest of I. Pucha, manager of the Potrero Theatre, Kentucky and Twenty-first streets, for violating a section of the statute relative to allowing children to perform in a public place. Pucha is said to have employed Ralph Cole, twelve years of age, who lives at 211 Potrero avenue. The complaint was sworn to by E. L. Washburn of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children. According to Washburn the performance on the night the child was employed to perform was marked with rowdiness. During the performance several eggs were said to have been thrown at the actors.

STRIKERS ACCUSED OF BLOWING UP HOUSE

GLACE BAY, N. S. July 24.—A serious attempt of intimidation in the coal mine strike in this province was made to blow up the miner's house at New Aberdeen with gunpowder yesterday, and in connection with which the president of the New Aberdeen local of the United Miners' Association has been arrested, because known here in jail.

A quantity of powder placed under a house occupied by a member of the Provincial Workmen's Association, who had refused to strike, was set off. It blew away a portion of the corner of the house but injured no one.

Political Gossip of San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, July 24.—There have been some changes during the past week in the program of the Citizens' Committee, who are engaged in preparing a primary ticket to be recommended to the voters of San Francisco. At the meeting of the executive committee last Tuesday, Benjamin L. McKimley, nephew of the late President McKimley, and who is a candidate for the nomination for City Attorney, was given a free vote with Percy V. Long, the incumbent of that office. There was some of the contention between Spring Valley and the Hutch Healey scheme in the mix-up and to say that it raised the very deuce is putting it mildly. McKimley was an essential part of the campaign as arranged by the Republican organization and even the attempt to defeat him raised a ruckus in the camp. The McKimley canvass was so closely intertwined with that of Crocker's for Mayor, that to separate them meant the defeat of both of those candidates.

A peculiar feature of this situation is that Spring Valley was back of Percy Long, Captain Payson of that corporation doing some legging among the members of the committee of twenty-five in the interest of the incumbent City Attorney, who has been posing as the friend of the Hutch Healey machine. This attitude of Spring Valley is explained on the theory that every "victory" Long won over the old water company had a hole in it through which the Supreme Court may drive a legal coach of four. The chief contributor to the dis-

turbance on the floor of the committee of twenty-five was Major Frank V. Keessling, a member of that body. It was the Major who placed Long's name in the contest and who also convinced the members of the committee for votes for him. The result was 11 votes for McKimley and 11 for Long. As even Crocker's fight for Mayor was largely involved in the guarantee that McKimley would be nominated for City Attorney, there was a scurrying of conferees and political bosses after the adjournment of the committee of twenty-five.

Major Keessling's course is understood to have come from his association with the City Hall pool of lawyers, he being the attorney for the City Auditor and in the law trust which was formed by the Lincoln Roosevelt League two years ago and of which City Attorney Long is also an active member.

But the outlook is for an adjustment of this tangle in the interest of McKimley at the next meeting of the committee of twenty-five. Probably the McKimley wounds will be healed by the balm of a unanimous endorsement by the committee.

Dennis Has Place

In the shifting of candidates, during the week just closed, Robert Dennis appears to have taken the place of H. C. Mathewson for the endorsement of the Committee of Twenty-five for the nomination for Auditor. Major Keessling is also a conspicuous figure in this scrap as he is credited with having five votes in the executive committee.

Special candidate and was thought to be sure of an endorsement in the appointment of the places. But now the Major is willing to abandon Mathewson. "In the interest of harmony," and the outlook is that Dennis will be John Lynch's man, will knock the pertism.

The low down on Keessling's change of front is that he discovered that Mathewson before being given the nomination of the Municipal League, otherwise the Mugwumps, was required to give a pledge to that combination, that if elected, he would not appoint Keessling his attorney. The Mugwumps in this campaign are evidently forming a trust on all the legal appointments in the municipal government as they did two years ago under the banner of hypocrisy and reform.

As previously suggested, it looks very much as though Mathewson's name is Dennis.

Stamp Primary

The Good Government League, which is dominated by James D. Phelan, and John Jacobus, Gunshoe Burns and J. J. Jacobs, having completed the canvass of the limited returns of its malodorous postage stamp primary, inaugurated for political purposes, is now considering a plan of municipal campaign. It will take no open part in the regular primary but proposes to put a ticket in the field, by petition, which it may do any time thirty days prior to that event.

It had been the intention of the Goo Gooes to have Phelan at the head of their ticket, for one of the purposes of the limited returns of its malodorous postage stamp primary was to try out that ambitious candidate. A promoter of the League remarked in this connection, "We might as well ascertain how Phelan stands with the public now as at any other time." The postage stamp primary was such a fiasco that Phelan's aspirant to head the Goo Gooes independent ticket evaporated and he now announces that he will not be a candidate for any office.

With Phelan eliminated it is understood that the Good Government

NEED NOT PAY FOR 'GOLD BRICKS'

Healdsburg Man is Released
by Superior Court From
Meeting Drafts

SANTA ROSA, July 24.—In denying the suit of the Johnson County Savings Bank of Healdsburg, in this county, to recover on drafts amounting to \$370, Judge Thomas Denny says that the defendant was undoubtedly sold a "gold brick" when he purchased jewelry for which the bank examined the receipts found in the jewelry purchased of an Illinois concern tamished when exposed to the sun.

Judge Denny says, among other things: "From the uncontradicted evidence of the defendant there is no question that instead of buying real jewelry he bought a gold brick. The only question is, is the plaintiff an innocent purchaser of the drafts?" If it is, his directors are running a bank which needs the scrutiny of a bank examiner. The jewelry company assigned the drafts to the bank at a 20 per cent discount." Judge Denny held that the drafts were entirely void.

MOTORS WILL COLLECT THE MAILS IN CHICAGO

CHICAGO, July 24.—Motor vehicles for collection of mail soon will be installed in service in Chicago. Experiments made with them in other cities have proved so successful that the Postoffice Department has decided to extend their usefulness to the larger commercial centers of the country. Reports to the Postmaster-General show that the motor vehicles perform the regular work more expeditiously than horse vehicles and at no appreciable increase of cost.

COUNCILMAN STIEFATER HOME FROM MOUNTAINS

Councilman A. P. Stiefater, with his wife and children, has returned from an enjoyable two weeks' sojourn at Shasta Retreat. While away he visited Castle Craig and made an extensive tour of the mountains in that part of the country. Stiefater is an enthusiastic sportsman and reports an abundance of game and good fishing around Shasta mountain.

Who is Little Wan-Tai? See first classified page of this paper.

League will make a coalition with Gavin McNab and endorse Dr. T. R. W. Leland, his candidate for Mayor, and also fuse with the Democratic boss on others of his candidates.

This course is said to be in pursuance of an unwritten contract entered into by McNab and the League two years ago, when the Scotchman agreed to accept Taylor in the combination made at that time, and whose nomination was against his judgment. It is to be turned about the Goo Gooes taking up McNab's banner this time. It is also probable that the League will endorse Dr. Leland, the Democratic boss's candidate for Sheriff. The Good Government bunch of politicians are so badly on the to-be-gone by reason of the exposure of their trick methods that is doubtful their endorsement may not do a candidate more harm than good. They are still using their blandishments on Phelan, hoping that he will consent to run, but the ex-Mayor is reported to be coy. Phelan is wanted by the Goo-Gooes as their nominee for Mayor in order that they may make Hutch Healey an issue in the campaign.

Last of Summer Styles At 40, 50 and 60 Cents on the Dollar

All Summer goods must go. Each day more Fall styles press in upon us and the congestion becomes greater. The only way out of this difficulty is our present method, to positively slaughter all Summer styles. In this limited space we can only suggest the low there will be hundreds of others when you come to the store.



\$15.00 Takes \$25.00 and \$27.50 Suits		
All odds and ends of course, but styles that are in vogue now. Every color and material that is approved by fashion is included. They were splendid values at \$25.00 and \$27.50, now \$15.00. One style like picture to the left. Alterations free.		
\$4.00 Skirts at.....\$1.95	\$32.50 Tailored Suits \$17.50	\$25.00 Lace Coat.....\$15.00
\$6.00 Skirts at.....\$2.95	\$40.00 Tailored Suits \$22.50	\$35.00 Battenberg Coats.....\$20.00
\$7.50 Skirts at.....\$3.45	\$35.00 Tailored Suits \$20.00	Short Jackets at \$1.95, \$2.15, \$2.35, \$2.45; values up to \$15.00.
\$8.50 Silk Skirts at \$4.95	\$45.00 Tailored Suits \$25.00	\$13.00 Long Black Broadcloth Coats at.....\$10.00
\$12.50 Silk Dress Skirts.....\$7.50	\$60.00 Silk Dresses \$15.00	\$17.50 Long Covert Coats at.....\$12.50
\$16.50 Silk Dress Skirts.....\$10.00	\$20.00 Messaline Dresses.....\$10.00	\$12.50 Silk Coats at \$7.45
New Fall Skirts.....\$5.00, \$7.50, \$10.00, \$20.00	\$6.50 Wash Suits.....\$2.95	\$20.00 Silk Coats.....\$12.50
In voiles, Panamas, serges and worsteds.	\$10.00 Wash Suits.....\$4.95	
	\$15.00 Wash Suits.....\$8.45	
	\$18.50 Wash Suits.....\$9.95	

Advance Fall Styles at \$17.50

THIS PICTURE SHOWS THE CAPTIVATING STYLE. Here are the suits which will be the most popular models for fall. In these strictly tailored suits, fitting qualities are a most important factor, and these \$17.50 really fit like a glove. They have the newest 40 inch coat, the latest skirts, pleated in clusters. They come in all the fall colors. You would have difficulty in matching them short of \$25.00. At the Toggery \$17.50.

Other Fall Suits.....\$22.50, \$30.00 and \$35.00

Toggery
CLOAK SUIT HOUSE
ELEVENTH AND WASHINGTON STS.

New Fall Coats \$10.00 to \$40.00
Sizes 22 to 43



Swissco Will Grow Your Hair

It Will Cure Your Dandruff—Prevent Baldness—Restore Gray Hair to Natural Color.

25-Cent Bottle Free to All.

Every one who is bald has tried by every means to restore his hair, but not until the discovery of our Swissco Hair and Scalp Remedy has there been anything offered that would so promptly result.



Swissco Did It!

This great remedy cures baldness, bald spots, falling hair, scabby scalp, sore scalp, dandruff, brittle hair or any other hair trouble that you want restored to natural color, let us send you a 25-cent bottle free for trial.

If you are suffering from baldness or any of the troubles named above or have any hair that you want restored to natural color, let us send you a 25-cent bottle free for trial.

Swissco Hair Remedy is for sale by all druggists at 50 cents and \$1.00 a bottle, but the free bottle can only be had by writing direct to the Swissco Hair Remedy Co., 1209 F. O. Square, Cincinnati, Ohio, enclosing 10 cents as an acknowledgment of your order.

For sale and recommended in Oakland at the Oak Drug Co., stores, Thirtieth and Broadway, Washington and Tenth streets, 113 Thirtieth street and Sixteenth and San Pablo Avenue.

Exceptional Week for Bargains

THE world has gone forth into each of our twenty-four departments to have clean stocks by August 1st. To accomplish this means much to you—a week of the biggest bargains during our July Clearance Sale.

H.C. Cahwell Co.
THE LARGEST
12th AND WASHINGTON STS.
OAKLAND.

Expert Demonstration of
Omo Dress Shields
Opens Monday, July 26.
These shields are absolutely impervious to moisture, positively odorless, easily cleaned, cool and very desirable. Come and see them demonstrated.
15c to 50c pr

Special Sale of
Tapestry Portieres
Regular \$6 values **\$4.75**
A good selection in red, green, brown and blue. Plain and fancy reps, with wide borders or fancy picquot edge.

One Big Assortment of a Noted Mill's

Sample Curtain Ends

1½ to 2 yds long—**25c**
Special

We will not attempt to say what these mill-ends of Curtains are worth—see them. They comprise scores of good patterns in Nottingham, corded effects and other novelties, in white and Arabian. Splendid for short curtains in bungalows and cottages.

All at One Price, 25c

Sheer Wash Novelties 15c yd

VALUES UP TO 35c
In this lot are several broken lines and small lots of this season's most desirable wash materials, real French dimity, Tulle, wash foulards, crossbar and corded white goods and several other sheer novelties that we have bunched together for a final cleanup.

Choice at 15c

Another lot consists of printed batiste, Swisses and laces. A good range of patterns and a few solid colors, worth 10c, 12½c and 15c yd—Sale Price, 8c yd

Greatest Savings in Millinery

There are about sixty stunning Dress Hats in this department and you can select from them

At Half Price

They were what most stores would call "extra values" when first marked—judge how much you can now save.

On Sale Monday One Lot of this Season's Tailored Suits



\$15.00

Values, \$25, \$30
\$35 to \$40

No better, no smarter and no bigger values than these suits have been offered this season at the regular prices named.

Think of the immense saving by taking advantage of this sale.

We do not promise your size in any particular style, color or material, but we promise you can be fitted in one or other of the many models.

Entire Stock of Fancy and Tailored Linen Suits **One-Third Off**

There's a very satisfactory line to choose from, consisting of two and three-piece suits, and there's plenty of time to get good wear out of them.

One Special Lot of

Muslin Underwear

Reduced ½ to ⅓

All kinds of garments are here; broken lines, some samples, some garments that have been displayed and need laundering. Will pay you to come and make choice of enough for some time to come.

Unprecedented Sale of

Umbrella Pants

Our entire stock of \$1.00 values.

Special
69c
Pair

Made in the finest weave, of high grade lisle thread; finished with deep lace in many pretty patterns. All weights and sizes. This is a rare July Special.

A Specially Good Lot of

Embroid- eries

25c
Yard

Edgings and insertions of all widths; new patterns; blind, eyelet and openwork.

Regular 35c to 50c values.

\$1.25 Mirage and Tussah Silks 75c

These silks have been the most popular weaves for this season's wear. They are on the rough order, and are heavy enough for tailored garments, the color range is excellent, as all the most seasonable and newest shades are shown in this assortment. Regular 75c

\$1.50 Black Taffeta Silk—Special \$1.19

This is our own brand of taffeta, has our name woven in the selvage of each yard, which is a guarantee of absolute satisfaction. The black is perfect and the lustre very high. This silk can be used for both outer and under garments and is heavy enough for separate coats. 27 inches in width. Regular \$1.50 value—Special, yard, \$1.19

Big Clean-Up of Lawn, Lingerie and Net Waists

LAWN WAISTS

Finest materials, elaborately trimmed; great variety; Dutch necks, long sleeves:

\$2.50 values—**\$1.75**

\$3.25 values—**\$2.25**

\$3.50 values—**\$2.50**

And so on through all grades.

High Grade Lingerie Waists

Also Beautiful Net Waists at Exactly Half Price

Exquisite Waists from the best of makers; only reason for such big reductions is the sleeves which are three-quarter and half-length. Most appropriate for parties and evening wear:

LINGERIE WAISTS **Reg. \$8.25 to \$16.50**

Now \$4.15 to \$8.25

NET WAISTS **Reg. \$9.50 to \$19.50**

Now \$4.75 to \$9.75

NET WAISTS

A variety sufficient to guarantee a satisfactory choice for everybody. Latest styles with Dutch collars:

\$ 5.50 values—**\$3.50**

\$ 7.50 values—**\$5.50**

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\$1.00 Dress Goods 69c yd

In our Dress Goods Department we offer a very large collection of plain colored materials, both in plain and fancy weaves, consisting of Panamas, Serges, Voiles, Armures, Batistes, Wool Taffetas, Prunellas and many fancy weaves. One will find in this lot any of the most staple colors or most of the new shades of the season; widths range from 43 to 50 inches wide. Regular \$1.00 values—Special 69c yd

Hand-Made Battenberg Scarves Regular \$2.75 Values, Special \$1.95

Variety to suit all tastes; some are Battenberg work, others with diamonds or oval linen centers; sizes 20 inches wide by 54 inches long. These are the genuine hand-made Scarfs and are a pronounced adornment to any table.

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Children's Fancy Hats

The Children's Department is now displaying an exceptionally fine lot of Lawn and Lingerie Headwear, fascinatingly trimmed and of unusual variety.

All Reduced About One-Third

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Ladies' Shamrock Lawn Handk's the reg. 3 for \$1 quality Special Sale - - 3 for 50c

A very unusual offering is this. The material is exceptionally sheer and there is a wide choice of crossbar patterns, neatly hemstitched. A genuine half-price sale of HAND-KERCHIEFS.

NEBRASKA MAN GOES UP AGAINST BUNCO

SAN FRANCISCO, July 24.—George E. Overdorf of Elk Creek, Nebraska, reported to the police today that he had been bunched out of \$25 in a gambling game at Vista Grande. According to Overdorf he was persuaded by a stranger to go to the place where he placed one dollar on a roulette game. He was informed that he had lost and through threats was compelled to give up \$25.

SEEK TO DELAY BRIBERY TRIAL

Attorneys For Former Police
Chief of Los Angeles Spar
For Time

LOS ANGELES, July 24.—Strenuous efforts were begun in the Superior Court today by the defense to prevent the coming to trial next Monday of the cause of former Chief of Police Thomas H. Broadhead charged with accepting bribes for protection of the red light district during his recent term of office. Broadhead was chief of police during the administration of Mayor Harper and his indictment followed the grand jury probing of the municipal scandals of that period. Attorneys for Broadhead today argued for a postponement on the ground of the "necessity" of the presence of the defendant in the city, and the court overruled the objections and set the case for trial Monday morning. The efforts of the defense for delay will be renewed Monday. More than 200 witnesses have been subpoenaed and the trial is expected to produce a desperately fought battle.

MUST NOT INTERFERE WITH STEEL STRIKERS

PITTSBURGH, July 24.—An attorney for the public defense association has prepared a new defense application for an injunction against the Pressed Steel Car company and its striking employees. It asks that the workmen be enjoined from interfering with the company in the hiring of men to take the place of the strikers and from committing acts of violence. It also enjoins the company from interfering with the strikers.

ARBITRATION FAILS

PITTSBURGH, July 24.—The arbitration board that has been seeking to settle the Osage county, Kansas, strike adjourned today without reaching an agreement. The strike, which has been in effect for nearly a year, affects several hundred men.

\$100 in prizes given away. See classified page for particulars.

FOUR STOCKTON PEOPLE MARRY

An Epidemic of Matrimony
Sweeps Over the Slough
City

STOCKTON, Cal., July 24.—Miss Pauline Reichenwald and H. E. Peter, both of this town, were married in San Francisco yesterday with a simple ceremony, performed by Rev. Dr. Remppel, a resident clergyman of the Presbyterian church. J. S. Matson of the Stockton Santa Fe office officiated as friend witness. Afterward there was a bridal breakfast at the Bismarck, and today Mr. and Mrs. Peter sailed for a three-months' sojourn in Los Angeles. They will live in Stockton.

Miss Edna Rice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Rice of this city, was quietly married in Oakland on Saturday last to Dr. Glover Brown Wilcox, physician of the steamer Peru, plying between San Francisco and Panama. After a week in San Francisco Dr. Wilcox sailed for Panama and his bride left for Portland to spend a couple of weeks. They will visit in San Francisco.

Edward Conney and Miss Susie Thorp of this city have just returned from Santa Cruz, where they were married on the 10th of this month. They were quietly wedded there and it was quite a surprise to their many Stockton friends.

Miss Viola Goodell, an attractive girl and a member of the high school class of '07, is to be married next month to James Warwick of San Francisco. Miss Goodell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Goodell. Mr. Warwick will take his bride to Seattle to live.

TAFT WILL NOT ENTER MEXICO TO MEET DIAZ

WASHINGTON, July 24.—It seems probable that President Taft will meet President Diaz of Mexico at San Antonio, Texas, instead of El Paso, late in September or early in October. This arrangement is probable because of President Taft's disposition to observe the ironclad precedent against American Presidents visiting a foreign country.

WEALTHY YOUTH'S CHECK PROTESTED

Carl Drossner Charged With
Felony Offense in Santa
Rosa Courts

A complaint against Carl Drossner, a rich attorney here, this afternoon filed a complaint against Carl Drossner, a wealthy young San Francisco man, charging him with uttering a fictitious check for \$25 upon Edgar N. Sutor of San Francisco at Monterey, in this county. Drossner will be brought before Judge Superior Court. The matter as to whether he will be admitted to probation has not been decided in view of his many previous escapades.

Announcement was made here today of the engagement of Miss Mary Liverman, sister of former Congressman Liverman, and James C. Ingalls, game warden of Sonoma county. Miss Liverman has been assistant postmaster of Healdsburg for a number of years.

PEACH STONE LODGES IN THROAT OF GIRL

Rosie Pucello, 12 years old, of 1298 Eddy street, had a peach stone lodged in her throat yesterday morning, and was finally choked to death when she was taken to the Harbor hospital. Dr. Zimwalt, after some difficulty, succeeded in relieving the young patient.

TREAT YOUR KIDNEY

And Bladder Trouble at Home at a Small Cost.

Mr. A. S. Hitchcock, 946 Carrier Building, East Hampton, Conn., wishes to tell our readers who are afflicted with any Kidney, Bladder, or Uric Acid ailment that if they will send their address to him he will, without any charge whatever, direct them to the splendid remedy he so successfully used in his own case. There can be but little doubt that this plain information, so freely given to our readers, will lead to the return of health to hundreds of suffering men and women who heretofore have found nothing but costly disappointment.

CLAIMS POLICE STRIPPED WOMEN

Chinese Mother and Daughter
Alleged to Have Been Abused
By Officers

SAN FRANCISCO, July 24.—Captain of Police Duke is conducting an investigation into accusations made by the secretary of the Chinese Six companies that two Chinese women, Low Quong Chee and her seventeen-year-old daughter, were subjected to the humiliation of being stripped and searched in their home, at Dupont and Jackson streets, by two policemen who were endeavoring to find lottery tickets in their possession. According to the complaint the affair took place on June 15.

Policeman B. L. Wade and J. P. Meloney are the policemen who are accused. They have witnesses who have been examined by Duke to prove that they did not search the prisoners but that they took them to the city prison under arrest and that they were searched there by the matron. Captain Duke stated today that so far as the investigation has gone he believes that the women were not searched in their rooms.

EASY MONEY. Now is your chance. See classified page.

OLD-TIME WINDJAMMER WILL MAKE LAST TRIP

SAN FRANCISCO, July 24.—Men who like the old-time American wooden ships, and contemplate with real regret the passing of the wind-jammers, have a last opportunity to look upon one of the vessels of the erstwhile mighty fleet before she goes out of commission. The ship Henry Falling, built at Bath, Me., in 1882, and known in all the world's ports, is at anchor in the bay off the foot of Washington street, about to sail for Puget sound to load lumber for a South African port. From there she will go to New York to be dismantled and converted into a common old coal barge, a fate that has overtaken many another good American ship like the Henry Falling.

FORGES HUSBAND'S NAME; IS DIVORCED

Woman Twice in Same Trou-
ble Pleads That "She
Couldn't Help It"

NEW YORK, July 24.—"I couldn't help it, Fred, I just couldn't help it." This was the only defense that pretty Eugenia Adelaide Hill, daughter of a retired banker of Paterson, N. J., offered to her husband when confronted with the evidence that she had forged his name to checks and cashed them for her own use. In the Supreme Court Friday the decree annulling her marriage to Fred Rowland Hill of Paterson was granted.

The action of the court was a tragic ending to Hill's romance of fifteen months with a bride he had courted as a Sunday school teacher in the Episcopal Church at Paterson, who, he learned afterward, had served a term in a reformatory for forgery.

The former Mrs. Hill, when 20 years old, was married to S. Harold Baker of Boston. She came to New York to engage luxurious apartments, paying for them with spurious checks. M. C. Baker, her father-in-law, a wealthy merchant living in Melrose, a suburb of Boston, declared that he had paid out hundreds of dollars because of her forgeries.

For this offense the girl was tried in General Sessions Court in November, 1901, charged with forgery. The girl declared that she simply was the tool of some men whose names she refused to reveal. She was sentenced to serve four months in the Reformatory for Women at Bedford. Baker obtained a divorce.

Her father, who was Frederick Edwards, a wealthy resident of Glen Rock, N. J., removed to Paterson with his family. Adelaide joined the Episcopal Church there, five years later. Fred Hill met her. After six months' courtship Hill was married to her on New Year's eve, 1907.

Hill's change of heart was caused by the return of the Second National Bank of New York of several checks which his wife had forged.

FEDERATION OF LABOR IS AFTER STEAMFITTERS

SPOKANE (Wash.), July 24.—As a result of its efforts to organize the locals in Spokane, Syracuse, N. Y., and Salt Lake City, the International Steamfitters' Union has been notified to show cause why it should not be suspended from membership in the building trade department of the American Federation of Labor. The organization of these locals was contrary to the decision of the executive council of the Building Trades. The Federation refuses that the charters of these unions be annulled.

"Keep Hubby Guessing," Her Advice to Wives

Retain Looks, But Don't Let Him Know How, Expert Warns.

(From New York Herald.)
All is fair in love and war. It is fair to get a husband; it is fair to keep him, no matter what device a wife may use. "If she deceives him into thinking her prettier than she is, such deceit is the highest art of love," said Mme. D'Mille, who talked here today to 500 fashionable women on "How to Keep a Husband." "Scores and hundreds deserve to lose their husbands," said Mme. D'Mille. "Any woman who will go to bed with cold cream smeared on a quarter of an inch thick on her face ought to be ostracized by her husband. It is a disgusting habit, and unnecessary." "Is the habit pretty general?" Mme. D'Mille was asked.
"Far too general," was the response. "Lots of women lose their husbands by taking too little care to conceal the processes by which they retain their beauty."
"Any woman ought to keep her husband guessing all the time. He ought to have to say to his friends, 'Well, my wife is the most amazing problem I know about.' She always looks about 16, and she neither paints nor powders."
Mme. D'Mille continued, "Any woman can do this if she will dissolve a small original package of mayonaise in a half pint of witchhazel and massage the face, neck and arms with this solution three or four times a week. She will shortly find she has a lovely, soft complexion—and then the best of it all is that mayonaise prevents the growth of hair, and is absolutely harmless to the most delicate skin. Make the solution yourself. 'Stay beautiful, and don't let him know how you do it.'"

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THE NEW FIRE-PROOF HOTEL
12th and Franklin Sts.
Summer rates now on.
Business men's lunch, 40c.
Sunday Table d'Hôte dinner with
wine, \$1.00.

OFFICERS ARE ESCAPEE DESERT NOTED "REFORM CRACK GUNNERS" PERJURERS, IS ISLE ON PALM INSPECTOR" GUARD GATE LEAF RAFT ARRESTED TO BAY

Sutton's Relatives Declare Marine Lieutenants "Lie Like Gentlemen"

COURTS-MARTIAL ARE SURE TO FOLLOW TRIAL

Lack of Discipline in Corps to Be Subject of Rigid Inquiry

(By JAMES FRENCH DORRANCE)
ANNAPOLIS, Md. July 24.—The full version of the scandal which has been the death of James M. Sutton, a young lieutenant of the marine corps, is now being given to the public by the relatives of the deceased. The relatives, who are all gentlemen, declare that the death of Sutton was a tragedy, and that the death was caused by a lack of discipline in the corps. They also declare that the death was caused by a lack of discipline in the corps, and that the death was caused by a lack of discipline in the corps.

Deadly Battle
Then the excitement of a night of fighting ending in a deadly battle does not explain the marvelous discrepancies in the tales told upon the witness stand at the remarkable struggle of the officers and men of the 1st Marine Corps.

No one can question the sincerity of the naval lord when an officer of the 1st Marine Corps is conducting his second trial. The officer, who is a lieutenant, is being tried for the death of a man who was killed in a battle. The officer is being tried for the death of a man who was killed in a battle.

Lack of Discipline
From Washington comes the hint that several courts-martial will follow from the board of officers in the 1st Marine Corps. The board of officers is being formed to investigate the death of a man who was killed in a battle. The board of officers is being formed to investigate the death of a man who was killed in a battle.

Doyen Criticized
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Deserters Are Found
In a battle, the 1st Marine Corps found deserters. The 1st Marine Corps found deserters in a battle. The 1st Marine Corps found deserters in a battle.

Exhaustion Kills Cook
In a battle, a cook died of exhaustion. The cook died of exhaustion in a battle. The cook died of exhaustion in a battle.

Moore Arrives in Rome With Invitation
Rear Admiral Moore arrived in Rome with an invitation. Rear Admiral Moore arrived in Rome with an invitation. Rear Admiral Moore arrived in Rome with an invitation.

Knew of Trouble
There is a hint that Mrs. Park knew of trouble. Mrs. Park knew of trouble. Mrs. Park knew of trouble.

REAR ADMIRAL MOORE GOES ON RETIRED LIST
Rear Admiral Moore has been placed on the retired list. Rear Admiral Moore has been placed on the retired list. Rear Admiral Moore has been placed on the retired list.

TO CARRY PRISONERS
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Dynamite Laden Boat Blows Up Soon After Crew Deserts It

CRAFT TAKES FIRE OFF MEXICAN COAST

Survivors Land on Island From Which They Are Later Saved

SAN FRANCISCO, July 24.—Realistic picture of the death of the dynamite laden boat, which was blown up soon after the crew deserts it, is given in the following report from the coast guard.

Dynamite Takes Fire
An examination showed that the dynamite taken from the boat was of the best quality. The dynamite taken from the boat was of the best quality. The dynamite taken from the boat was of the best quality.

No Time to Take Anything
The dynamite was taken from the boat in a hurry. The dynamite was taken from the boat in a hurry. The dynamite was taken from the boat in a hurry.

Strong Evidence
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Indicted on Charge of Accepting Bribes to Protect Vice in Chicago

SALOON KEEPER SAYS HE COLLECTED TRIBUTES

Big Sum Said to Have Been Collected Monthly and Given Officer

CHICAGO, July 24.—Inspector Edward McCann, who has been indicted on a charge of accepting bribes to protect vice in Chicago, is said to have collected a large sum of money from saloon keepers. The money was collected monthly and given to the officer.

Rush For Immunity
Facing the grave, many of the indicted men are rushing for immunity. Facing the grave, many of the indicted men are rushing for immunity. Facing the grave, many of the indicted men are rushing for immunity.

How Record Was Made
The record was made in a very short time. The record was made in a very short time. The record was made in a very short time.

Guns Roar and Crack
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NAVAL INVASION WOULD BE UTTERLY IMPOSSIBLE

Wonderful Record Is Made at Water Target Practice From Land

A foreign man-of-war looking for trouble near the Golden Gate would get a full measure of a world's record with big guns which are hidden in the hills. The record was made in a very short time.

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COUNTRESS CASSINI and Some of Her Pet Dogs.

The Countess Marguerite Cassini, once the chum of Alice Roosevelt and long an object of great interest and attraction in Washington, has been having all sorts of trouble in Europe. She has been having all sorts of trouble in Europe.

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Growsome Automobile Tragedy Also Involves Two Women Passengers

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COUNTLESS CASSINI, STUNG BY SLIGHTS OF ROYALTY, TURNS HER BACK ON NOBILITY TO GO ON STAGE
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DEATH OF MRS. DORA FELLER EXPLAINED BY OVERHEARING OF CONVERSATION
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TWO MEN IN JAIL WHILE POLICE SEEK FOR THIRD
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GROWSOME AUTOMOBILE TRAGEDY ALSO INVOLVES TWO WOMEN PASSENGERS
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COUNTY ENDEAVORS TO HOLD CONVENTION
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ARTILLERYMEN AT BATTERY BOUTELLE MAKE PERFECT SCORE WITH BIG GUNS
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POSTOFFICE CLOSES AFTER SHOOTING IN LOBBY TO 'CLEAN UP'
The postoffice in Washington closed after a shooting in the lobby. The postoffice in Washington closed after a shooting in the lobby. The postoffice in Washington closed after a shooting in the lobby.

ODD FELLOWS GREET "BUNCH OF STICKS"
The Odd Fellows in Santa Rosa greeted a group of men. The Odd Fellows in Santa Rosa greeted a group of men. The Odd Fellows in Santa Rosa greeted a group of men.

BERKELEY

Abandoned Babe Found On Church Steps Finds a Home

ALAMEDA

Noisy Children Prevent Detection of Burglar at Work in Home

COUNTY

UNCHAINS WIFE'S DOG; IS ARRESTED

James Berryman Arouses Ire of Spouse by Invading Her Back Yard

ALAMEDA, July 24.—His last act of entering his wife's yard and unchaining her dog has led to the arrest of James E. Berryman, 1126 Park avenue on a charge of disturbing the peace. Mrs. Berryman, who asserts that her husband has annoyed her beyond endurance ever since his term in the county jail expired, preferred the charge for which Berryman will have to answer before Judge R. B. Tappan in the police court.

Mrs. Berryman has made repeated complaints to the police in regard to her husband's actions in the past few months. She alleges that when he becomes intoxicated he comes to her home and tries to wreck the place, crawling through the windows and smashing the furniture. It was on this latest charge that Mrs. Berryman had the man arrested about a week ago, and he served a sentence of six months in the county jail on being convicted.

Berryman has instituted a suit for divorce from her husband which is now pending in the Oakland courts. She charges cruelty and intemperance.

Berryman's bail was fixed at \$75. He is confined in the city jail, unable to obtain this amount, and his trial has been set for Tuesday.

ALAMEDA GETS LARGE FACTORY

Humboldt County Man Will Manufacture Dairy Supplies at Island City

ALAMEDA, July 24.—A large factory for the manufacture of dairy supplies will be erected on the south side of the canal near Blanding avenue within the next sixty days.

J. A. Simpson, a capitalist of Humboldt county, has purchased this site from the Alameda Land Company and has stated that he will start building operations within a short time. The site is 200 feet square. The concern will manufacture cans, separators, butter molds and boxes, and all other appurtenances of a dairy.

The direct management of the factory will be in the hands of Simpson, who owns a large dairy in Humboldt county besides several stock ranches. One hundred men will be employed by the concern.

MISS CADWALADER WILL BE SOLOIST AT CONCERT

BERKELEY, July 24.—The half-hour of music in the Hearst Greek Theater in Berkeley tomorrow afternoon will be given by Miss Edna Cadwalader, violinist. Miss Judith Duffie, pianist and Osborne Wilson, cellist. The program will be:

(a) Duet. (b) Hungarian Rondo. (c) Haydn. Miss Cadwalader, Miss Ladd, Mr. Wilson.

(a) Aria on G. (b) Chant sans Paroles. (c) Bach. Miss Cadwalader, Mr. Wilson.

(a) Sextet from "Lucia di Lammermoor." (b) Hungarian Dance No. 6. (c) Brahms. Miss Cadwalader, Miss Ladd, Mr. Wilson.

PLEASANTON NOTES

PLEASANTON, July 24.—Mr. and Mrs. Low Grellin and daughter, Miss Ruth, left for San Francisco today on their automobile, after spending a few weeks in Santa Cruz.

Miss Ruth Grellin, who has been away for the past month visiting with friends at Puget Sound and attending the Alaska-Territory Exposition, returned home Friday afternoon.

Miss Vivian Colestock returned to her home Friday evening, after a week's visit with friends in San Francisco.

Miss W. Davis, who formerly resided in Pleasanton, but now of Oakland, came up last Saturday and is visiting friends here.

Miss Julia Diavola of Oakland is in town this week, visiting with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Rindfleisch were in San Francisco today on business.

Elwood Walters leaves this week for Fresno, where he will represent the rural spirit of the area.

A comedy, entitled "His Last Legs," was presented on Friday evening of this week for the benefit of the improvement club. The Pleasanton orchestra furnished the music, under the direction of Elwood Walters.

Mr. Alfred Rowland, Ross Pearl, Miss Alderson, Miss Miller, Miss Granger, Alfred Rowland, William Granger, Frank Woodward and Elwood Walters. The play was very well received and the audience was large. After the performance dancing was the feature of the evening. The play will be presented in the future.

Mrs. Sporton and children of San Francisco are staying at their summer home near Ukiah.

Frank Donohue, who has been out of town for the past few days, returned home Friday evening. He will be with his wife and children in Pacific Grove.

Warren Bechtel, who is working on a contract in Ukiah, will be in town this week visiting his wife and children.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Davis were in town Friday and Saturday.

Miss Helen Mezza of San Francisco is visiting her sister, Mrs. Ed Ponce, this week.

HOW SHE GOT RID OF HER FAT

Rep'd Did It—No Starvation Diet or Tiresome Exercise Necessary—A Free Trial Package Will Convince You.

A woman's form is essentially one of grace. The lines of beauty vanish as fat accumulates and instead of beauty we see bulk, and what was once fair becomes a fright.

Beauty will reduce you. It is perfectly safe. You eat it like fruit or candy and easily and safely reduce your fat a pound a day.

For sale by all druggists at \$1.00 per full sized box, or by mail prepaid by The Rego Co., 215, Broadway, New York, N. Y. Send for a free trial package. No money packages at 10¢ each.

Rego is for sale and recommended in Oakland at the Oak Grove Pharmacy, 10th and Tenth streets. At the County Jail, 10th and Tenth streets, and San Pablo.

Representative Business Men of Berkeley To Dine at Chamber of Commerce Banquet



CHAIRMAN OCHELTREE of the Berkeley Chamber of Commerce Banquet, and Two of the Leading Speakers for the Occasion.

BERKELEY, July 24.—Berkeleyans are planning to enjoy a social reunion next Tuesday evening, the occasion being the annual dinner of the Berkeley Chamber of Commerce. To these gatherings all business and professional men of the city are invited, and the result is that at least once a year there is an assemblage of the men who by dint of energy and brain help to build up and direct the affairs of the community.

The board of directors of the Berkeley Chamber of Commerce is composed of leading citizens, representatives of the various interests centered in this part of Alameda county, and their time is given in unselfish efforts to help all who contribute to the importance of Berkeley as a home city and as a business and manufacturing center. The directors are: Raymond K. Bailey, Geo. P. Baxter, R. A. Berry, B. J. Bither, W. A. Gates, W. A. Gompertz, G. A. Gruesche, H. D. Irwin, S. C. Juster, C. A. Maloney, Duffin McInnes, I. A. Morris, W. J. Mortimer, Frank L. Naylor, C. B. Ocheltree, Friend W. Richardson, S. J. Hill, Chas. H. Spaul, W. L. Woodward, W. R. Woolley.

While it is true that the growth of the city has been caused by many families coming here from the interior of the state, on account of the exceptional educational advantages to be found here, yet it is true that not a few have been induced to settle here whose former homes were in other states and some came from England and Canada.

From All States

Within the past week three families have written to the secretary of the Chamber of Commerce saying that they are ready to move to Berkeley, and these three families represent British Columbia, Oregon and the state of Washington. Nevada seems to have moved down here on mass. It has come to be a saving among the Sacramento inhabitants that as soon as a man gets a mine he has to leave his family in Berkeley. Idaho and Montana are also well represented in Berkeley. The establishment of the Hearst Mining College here in affiliation with the State University doubtless has much to do with the popularity of mining men for this locality.

City of Homes

"Berkeley banks on its popularity as a place for establishing homes, and in this connection I would like to draw attention to Berkeley's popularity as a dwelling place is no new thing. This character was stamped on the locality long before the advent of the white man—a point abundantly and conclusively proved by the discovery of a great number of Indian mounds in this immediate vicinity. In no other part of the bay region are there so many evidences of aboriginal occupancy. These autochthonous tribes were absolutely free to pick and choose the entire country being open to their selection—and it is patent that coming here in such vast numbers they evinced a keen appreciation of the advantages of this locality. Swayed solely by consideration of personal comfort as measured by climatic conditions, and having no other object to be considered, they made this place the center of population. In those prehistoric days, when the commuters of San Francisco yearned for Berkeley, preferring this spot above all others because they found a most delightful abiding place.

"It cannot be said too often nor with too great emphasis that these considerations combine to make Berkeley the ideal residence city of California."

Steady Growth

The year just closed has been one of activity so far as the Chamber of Commerce is concerned, although in Berkeley as in other cities of the Pacific Coast, business has not been as active as in former times. In the matter of population, Berkeley has not kept before the great leading public of the United States in a most favorable light and the result has been a steady growth of population, the new-comers being recruited from the very best elements of the entire country.

Population of City

In discussing the question of increase in population Secretary W. A. Drury of the Berkeley Chamber of Commerce said: "It is difficult to make an accurate estimate of the number of inhabitants in Berkeley. The Mechanics' Association of San Francisco recently published a statement to the effect that Berkeley has 50,000 inhabitants. Personally it seems to me that this figure is too high. I believe that 35,000 is nearer the mark. The increase in assessable property reported this year was 10 per cent, and the additional number of houses, as Deputy Assessor

Alan Clarke tells me that the values of land were not advanced in making up the roll, except where it was necessary to make a few adjustments where obvious inequalities had crept in.

PASTOR GUEST OF HONOR AT DINNER

Good Fellows' Club of First Christian Church Gives Furniture Shower

ALAMEDA, July 24.—The Good Fellows' Club of the First Christian church entertained last evening in honor of the birthday of the Rev. H. J. Loken, pastor of the church. The affair was also in the nature of a furniture shower, given for the purpose of furnishing the club with new furniture. The Rev. Loken, who is the pastor of the church, is a native of the state of Oregon. He has been in the ministry for many years. The furniture shower was given by the members of the club and their friends. The Rev. Loken was the guest of honor at the dinner. The affair was a success and the Rev. Loken was very much pleased with the results.

CAPITALIST'S SON HELD FOR THEFT

Richard M. Cerf Arrested on Charge of Robbing Home Where He Lodged

BERKELEY, July 24.—Richard M. Cerf, a recently arrived son of a capitalist, residing at 3021 Washington street, San Francisco, is being held in the county jail on a charge of robbing the home of a friend. Cerf was arrested by police officers on Friday morning. He was found in the home of a friend, where he was robbing the place. Cerf was taken to the county jail and is being held on a charge of robbery. He is being held on a charge of robbing the home of a friend. Cerf was arrested by police officers on Friday morning. He was found in the home of a friend, where he was robbing the place. Cerf was taken to the county jail and is being held on a charge of robbery. He is being held on a charge of robbing the home of a friend.

ODD FELLOWS WILL CELEBRATE

Encinal Lodge Plans to Entertain Grand Master Grove L. Johnson

ALAMEDA, July 24.—Assemblyman Grove L. Johnson, grand master of the Odd Fellows of California, will be entertained in this city Monday night by Encinal lodge at Odd Fellows' hall. Johnson's official visit on this occasion will be characterized by one of the biggest celebrations in the history of the lodge. A speech on the fraternal organization and other subjects of paramount interest at the present time is expected from the guest of honor, and other speeches will be made by G. H. Wover and others. A feature of the evening will be degree work, which will be conducted by Grand Master Johnson. Visitors will be present from the Odd Fellows' lodges around the bay. A banquet will probably be the most enjoyable feature of the evening. G. H. Wover will preside as toastmaster. Many courses will be served and the festive occasion will be characterized by fun and merriment.

POLICE WANT THE BRUTE WHO CUT HORSE'S THROAT

BERKELEY, July 24.—The police are seeking for the person who deliberately slashed the throat of a valuable horse belonging to the Berkeley French Lumber Co. The horse was found on Friday morning. The crime was done as the animal was being led during the rounds of a drive. A keen blade had been drawn across the throat of the animal, almost severing the jugular vein. It was necessary to call a veterinarian to stop the loss of blood.

SHAKESPEARE TO BE THEME OF LECTURE

BERKELEY, July 24.—Professor William Dillman Armes, chairman of the musical and dramatic committee of the university, will deliver an illustrated lecture on "The England of Shakespeare" in Hearst Hall on Monday evening. On Friday evening Mrs. E. E. Blanche, who recently gave a delightful song recital in Hearst Hall, will give a second recital and the principal portion of the program will consist of a group of Shakespearean songs.

DOG QUANTINED FOR VISITING HIS SICK PLAYMATES

BERKELEY, July 24.—Count Mark, a valuable English setter dog, belonging to Clinton Skinner of 2040 Channing way, is believed to be the first of his race to have the distinction of being quarantined by the Berkeley Board of Health. Count Mark is a friendly fellow and beloved of the neighborhood and his penchant for visiting the children of Mrs. Edgar Kidwell of 2011 Channing way, which is right across the street from the Skinner home, was the cause of having his liberty circumscribed. One of the Kidwell youngsters was taken with scarlet fever a few days ago and Count Mark insisted on trespassing the quarantine regulations and paying the boy his regular call. When the doctors heard about it they remonstrated. It was possible that Count Mark might carry the germ of fever in his slinky fur in his perambulations about the neighborhood. The dog, unheeding the warnings of the medical men and his owner, made his periodical call at the Kidwell home, and he suddenly found that he was a prisoner. He was penned up yesterday in a woodshed and the health regulations will forbid him liberty until the quarantine runs its course.

DR. A. S. GRAY ACCEPTS POSITION AT WASHINGTON

BERKELEY, July 24.—Dr. Arthur S. Gray, who has been for several years instructor in the physics department of the State University, has accepted a flattering appointment with the Government in the bureau of standards at Washington. Dr. Gray is a well known scientific scholar and his new position brings him a large increase in salary. He will take up his duties September 1.

ALAMEDA ODD FELLOWS WILL INSTALL OFFICERS

ALAMEDA, July 24.—Sunset Encampment, I. O. O. F., will install the following officers Tuesday evening at Odd Fellows hall. Chief patriarch, P. K. Fox; senior warden, W. Hayden; junior warden, R. H. Reed, scribe, J. H. J. Deputy Schuberger of Alameda will act as installing officer. Patriarchs Millant, Canton Oakland, will be in attendance; according Schuberger here. The installation will be in the form of a district meeting and members of the Odd Fellows lodges from Livermore, Richmond, Oakland, San Francisco and Berkeley will be in attendance. A banquet will conclude the evening's festivities.

BERKELEY ASSESSMENTS SHOW BIG INCREASE

BERKELEY, July 24.—The assessed valuation of Berkeley, according to computations of the assessor, for the present year is \$2,125,850, against \$1,325,401 for 1933, an increase of \$800,449. The figure for the county valuation for the present year showed an increase of \$1,332,907.

NOISY CHILDREN PROTECT THIEVES

Neighbors Hear Door Battered Down, But Ascribe Crash to Small Boys

FRUITVALE, July 24.—The noisy neighbors of Eugene Schultz, former Mayor of San Francisco, were responsible for the escape of two thieves who battered in the back door of the apartment house at 5116 Fruitvale avenue, at Fruitvale, yesterday afternoon and secured jewelry valued at several hundred dollars.

Mrs. Wilson, who lives in the next apartment to the Schultz family, stated that she heard a terrific crash that seemed to come from the direction of the Schultz apartment, and which she now knows to have been caused by the battering of the door, but thought that the noise was caused by the children of the former Mayor's brother who, according to her statement, are accustomed to produce crashes equally loud when at play. The thieves were young men, dressed in the height of fashion, and were strangers in the community, according to the statements of neighbors. They carried a gold watch with the initials F. K. inscribed upon the back, a valuable diamond brooch and several rings. They were seen to make their way in the direction of Hayward and there is little clue for Constable Allen and his assistants to work upon.

ABANDONED BABE FINDS HOME WITH SERGEANT WOOLLEY

BERKELEY, July 24.—The baby boy abandoned on the doorstep of the Josephine Lathrop Catholic church last night, has found a home with Sergeant Tom Woolley, who was called by Father P. S. Morrison to care for the stranger in the first instance, who adopted the child. The mother, Mrs. Woolley, who lives at 1116 Fruitvale avenue, was called to the church by the baby this morning as he could not find his mother in the neighborhood. The baby, who is now being cared for by his mother, was found in the church last night. The mother, who is now being cared for by his mother, was found in the church last night. The mother, who is now being cared for by his mother, was found in the church last night.

CHURCH SERVICES

Prominent Pastors Will Deliver Sermons on Topics of Varied Interest

BERKELEY, July 24.—Fred E. Hasen, a Christian church missionary, will deliver an illustrated lecture in the First M. E. church tomorrow evening on "Strange People of Many Lands." The news will be stereotyped. They will illustrate vividly phases of life in Japan, India, China and Siam.

George H. DeKay, a retired pastor, at present a real estate broker, will occupy the pulpit of the North Berkeley Congregational church, holding the selection of a permanent pastor. Tomorrow morning he will speak on "Jesus' Travel and Humiliation," and in the evening on "Life's Object."

Rev. John H. Lathrop has returned from a vacation trip to Boston and will occupy the pulpit of the Unitarian church morning and evening.

D. A. Hanson of the North Berkeley M. E. church is home from a trip to the mountains and will speak this morning on "Things From the North." Rev. Hugh Baker of Alameda will occupy the pulpit in the evening.

Rev. Otto B. Jordan, pastor of the South Berkeley Methodist church, will speak at both morning and evening services tomorrow. The topic of the morning sermon will be "The Lord's Supper," and the pastor will speak in the evening on the topic "Lutheran Outreach."

"To Live for Jesus" is the theme of the sermon to be delivered by the Rev. W. S. Mathew in the Trinity M. E. church tomorrow evening. The pastor will also speak at both morning and evening services.

Dr. Matthew recently returned from the Seattle conference, where the 12th annual conference was held.

"Three Great Mysteries" is the topic of the morning sermon to be given by Rev. John H. Lathrop in the College Avenue M. E. church. The pastor will also speak in the evening, the topic being "Lessons From Job's Bo."

COUPLE LOSE TWO CHILDREN IN WEEK

Whooping Cough Claims Second Babe of Mr. and Mrs. Bodin in Fruitvale

FRUITVALE, July 24.—The death of little Florence Bodin, aged 6 months, following the burial of her 2-year-old sister, Margaret, on the previous day, occurred in Fruitvale yesterday afternoon. Both children succumbed to whooping cough and their death leaves the bereaved young parents childless.

J. R. Bodin, father of the dead children, is an accountant in the employ of the Southern Pacific Company, San Francisco. The young couple have been married but a few years and were building a pretty home in Fruitvale at the time of the death of their two children.

The funeral of Florence Bodin was held this afternoon.

Alameda Society

ALAMEDA, July 24.—Rev. and Mrs. P. Russell and family returned home yesterday after a month spent in the West. The young couple have been married but a few years and were building a pretty home in Fruitvale at the time of the death of their two children.

The marriage of Miss Florence Schultz and Melrose Martin was solemnized today in the Epworth M. E. church, Rev. J. A. B. C. officiating. The bride was a daughter of the late Mr. Schultz, a well-known builder and architect of the college town.

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MELROSE CITIZENS WANT NEW LIGHT DISTRICT

MELROSE, July 24.—An election for the formation of an electric light district embracing the water park of this place will be held here on July 31. The polls will be located at the corner of Broadway and 16th streets and will be open during the afternoon only.

The citizens of Melrose will hold a mass meeting in Sousa Hall on Tuesday night, July 27, to arouse interest in the formation of the proposed district. The speakers of the evening will be George Haht, Frank Gordon, E. W. Woodward and a number of other prominent citizens.

The Melrose Citizens' Association, under the auspices of the Melrose Heights and Stearns Terrace Improvement club, the organization having started the movement for the new electric district.

Colonist Rate to the West

Commencing September 15th to October 15th, 1934, rates will be in effect from Chicago for \$33.00, from Missouri river and Texas points \$25 and probably \$22.00 from St. Louis, Memphis and New Orleans. Stopovers will be allowed at all California points. For further information see Southern Pacific Agents or S. P. Co., corner 13th and Franklin streets, Oakland.

NEWARK NEWS

NEWARK, July 24.—Chris Borgan, an employee of the Southern Pacific Company, working at Humboldt Point, was seriously hurt today when he fell from a pile driver Friday afternoon. In many ways the rope worked off the pile while it was being hoisted and as it fell it struck Borgan, tearing the flesh from the back of his head and fracturing his skull. He was taken to the company's hospital in San Francisco.

C. Mulligan and wife of Idaho spent a few days here as the guests of J. H. Allen at the Park Hotel. Mulligan was a former resident here, being a chemist in the old Southern Pacific shops.

Allen has returned from Providence hospital, where he has been confined since his accident of last month. He is now expected to be home in a few days.

San Jose visiting relatives.

Mrs. Kronke is entertaining friends from San Francisco this week.

Mrs. Fred Moss, Jr., is visiting relatives at the Hotel California.

Mrs. Wm. Moffat and children have returned from a pleasant visit with friends in Vallejo.

The Hayward band gave a picnic yesterday at the Newark pavilion. On Sunday the Millspaugh band will give a picnic.

Brown Your Hair

WITH MRS. POTTER'S WALNUT-TINT HAIR STAIN.

"You'd never think I stained my hair after I used Mrs. Potter's Walnut-Tint Hair Stain. The tint doesn't hurt the hair at all, but makes it grow out nice and curly."

It only takes you a few minutes once a month to apply Mrs. Potter's Walnut-Tint Hair Stain with your comb. Stains only the hair, doesn't rub off, contains no poisonous drugs, sulphur, lead or copper. Has no odor, no dirt, no grease. Walnut-Tint Hair Stain will last you a year. Sells for 10¢ a bottle at first-class drug stores, or for 25¢ a bottle at the factory. Send your name and address of a clip of paper with this advertisement and enclose 25¢ coin, for the color and we will mail you, charges prepaid, trial package, in plain, sealed wrapper with a letter telling you how to use Mrs. Potter's Walnut-Tint Hair Stain. Co., 640 Grove Bldg., Cincinnati, O.

Mrs. Potter's Walnut-Tint Hair Stain is recommended and for sale in Oakland by The Owl Drug Co., 131 and 133 Broadway, Washington and 10th and 13th streets, 16th and San Pablo ave.

CASA ROSA APARTMENTS

**Modern Three-Story Structure -- Recently Opened Its Doors to the Public --
The Perfection of First-Class Workmanship**

THE EPITOME OF APARTMENT HOUSE EXCELLENCE.-- INTERIOR DECORATIONS GORGEOUS.--SANITARY ARRANGEMENT BEYOND CRITICISM.--MINIMUM DANGER FROM FIRE.--BEAUTIFUL IN DESIGN AND MODERN IN APPOINTMENTS.--CONVENIENCE TO ALL CAR LINES COULD NOT BE BETTER.

The formal opening last week of the new and beautiful Casa Rosa Apartment house on Market street, opposite Fifteenth, Oakland, was participated in by no less than four hundred persons, whose exclamations of surprise and congratulations on the handsome edifice were a source of gratification to the owner Mr. J. J. Kennedy, whose appreciation of the need of such a place and the future growth of Oakland and the particular neighborhood caused the expenditure of over \$600,000 in the building and furnishings.

The Casa Rosa Apartments are situated most conveniently for travel, and persons may take the car almost in front of the door to San Francisco, Sixteenth Street Depot, or to the other parts of Oakland. Those desiring can be less than five minutes' walk to the theaters and principal business section, in fact it is practically in the shopping center of Oakland.

CASTLE OF ROSES.

The architecture of the building is beautiful and pleasing to the eye and the palms, perched plants and exterior decorations add to its already grand effect, and, in fact, the name Casa Rosa, which means "Castle of Roses."

Steam heat, vacuum house cleaning apparatus installed in the building and used in every apartment by the janitor who will keep the place immaculate, clean, private, telephones, hot and cold water, baths, in every apartment will add to the comfort of the guests and serve to make the Casa Rosa a model of modern convenience. Heavy draperies exclude all sounds from the adjoining rooms, and those above and below.

ROOT GARDEN.

The only root garden on any apartment house in Oakland is one of the features of the Casa Rosa. It is 84 by 26 feet, and the view from it is as commanding as on the hills back of the city. In the near future it is the intention to make the floor of the root garden suitable for dancing and it will then become a favorite place for those enjoying this form of amusement.

ORIGINALITY IN CONSTRUCTION.

Many unique and exclusive features are embodied in its construction, and it can truly be said that it has no counterpart on the Pacific Coast. There are sixteen apartments, each of three rooms each and a bath room for every apartment. Nowhere on the coast is there to be found apartments which offer so combined convenience, the richness and elegance of the private home and the Casa Rosa apartment.

The bath rooms, while beautiful in themselves, are arranged in all the other rooms and may be entered from either room through a private hall or the main hall.

Each apartment is supplied with linen dishes, crockery and silverware, all complete for housekeeping.

HAS OWN FIRE ENGINE.

A chemical fire engine is on hand, carrying 10 gallons of chemical, and is as much as an ordinary city fire engine, with 100 feet of hose which will reach all over the building, and with sufficient force to throw a stream 75 feet.

ABUNDANCE OF SUNSHINE.

The halls are large and pleasantly carpeted and well lighted. In case of fire there are four exits and fire escapes from the roof to the ground, reducing the danger from lack of sufficient egress to a minimum.

The exterior of the structure is of concrete and is a combination of Moorish and Miss on style.

Every apartment has ample light and every room is heated by steam and lighted by electricity.

REASONABLE PRICES.

Rates are normal. One can live at the Casa Rosa as cheaply as in any modern apartment in California. The location, the richness and elegance could make more perfect the Casa Rosa Apartments.

ENVIRONMENT.

Under the influence of such surroundings as characterize a place of this nature and in contact with such people as its standards attract, one experiences the refinement of pleasure that comes with the expansion of taste and personality.

The structure attracts much attention by the beauty of its architecture and its thoroughly modern treatment.

Furniture Equipment.

Throughout the old home of George Washington one can see the different pieces of furniture which for many years were a source of pleasure to him. Each individual piece portrays the character of George Washington—good all the way through.

In selecting the stock this thought was constantly kept in mind—that it be good all the way through. To that end a reliable firm was sought. One of experience in the harmonizing of proper furniture with the surroundings. One accustomed to furnishing large houses, hotels and apartments. One whose reputation was above reproach and whose judgment was considered excellent. This was the reason for the selection of the E. C. Arps Furniture Company, 212-214 South Street, who make a specialty of hotels, homes, houses and hospitals. Their trade is both wholesale and retail, and the furnishings of the Casa Rosa speak better than words of their quality. Large, fine Spanish leather cushions, lasting a life time, and that retail for \$75.00 to \$80.00 apiece, adorn each apartment.

Also very roomy and oak rocking chairs with genuine Spanish leather cushions, are exceptionally comfortable and give a rich appearance. Some of the rooms have large mahogany leather chairs and arm chairs. The dining rooms have quartered oak pedestal extension tables. Some are in the golden others in fumed oak, and box seat leather diners to match.

The beautiful rose portieres between the two rooms harmonize in coloring effect with the rest of the furnishings. The drawers for these apartments were especially made to

order, each one having an exceptionally large French plate mirror and all to match the particular wood of its apartment.

The E. C. Arps Furniture Company should certainly feel proud of the encomiums heaped upon them by those who have visited the apartments and seen the elegant and handsome furniture.

Floss Mattresses Throughout.

Two pure silk floss mattresses are in each apartment, making 36 in all. They were made by the Arrow Mattress Factory and have the Imperial edge. They rank next to hair mattresses, and by merely exposing to the sun at any time and no matter how long in use, become as good as new and raise to their original size.

Artistic Lighting Fixtures.

In the matter of lighting fixtures one is impressed from the start. Upon approaching the building the view of the artistic entrance lights is superb. Great taste is shown in the selection of the lighting fixtures and much credit is due the Jenkin Fixture Company of Oakland for the excellent workmanship and the attention given the work from the beginning.

The Mission plan was followed very closely throughout the entire building and it would not have been possible to have made a better selection of metal for outside work, with spurs, copper holders and large cut star balls. The main hall has one massive chandelier with six scroll arms, trimmed with lead crystals on top of the arms and a cast lead holder. Six lead crystals lead from the under side of the arms to the bottom of the body and emerge into a large holder on which is a large cut star ball. The wood beams around this chandelier are thirty-six small receptacles.

The rear halls each have three two-light square chandeliers in the center with the lights looking up and down. The front hall has three three-light square chandeliers, each one having emergency gas, trimmed with ground shade and candle. The private halls to each apartment have one square one-light center fixture, trimmed with square Mission shade and one electric side light.

The living rooms each have one four-light square center fixture of the Mission design, trimmed with square Mission bell shades. In the corner of the living room by the large windows are two Mission post lights. The lanterns on top of the posts have the amber and glass lower panels and the green and red upper panels, maintaining a very original lighting effect. There is also one side light trimmed with emergency gas.

The dining room is fitted out much the same as the living room, the only difference being that there are no Mission post lights. The kitchen and the pantry each have one chain hanger in the center and one electric bracket light. All of the chandeliers are finished in the old brass and black that one always sees in the high-class work.

All the chandeliers are especially designed for this building and are in harmony with the entire surroundings. The Jenkin Fixture Company have certainly shown they are capable of handling the highest class of work and no doubt the installation in this building will be a source of continual pride to them.

Unlimited Hot Water "at the Turn of the Faucet"

Installed in the building are two No. 8 "Pittsburg" Water Heaters, the kind that are coming into use at so many of the more modern apartments and on large structures.

To go into complete details on the construction and magnificent features of the "Pittsburg" Automatic Water Heater would be almost impossible in the space here allotted, but a few ideas may be gained from the following: The "Pittsburg" is the cheapest and best method for heating water. It will give a hot bath for less than two cents. Will operate entirely independent of other systems, and is adapted for any house, large or small.

The "Pittsburg" method is simply itself. It merely means taking the water from the main and passing it through a long copper heating coil before it goes to hot water faucets.

A powerful, yet economical gas burner is placed under this coil, and when the faucet is turned, the water is heated automatically and the water is heated as it runs. The water is heated instantaneously. There is no waste either to the water or the gas.

No storage boiler is required. The "Pittsburg" can easily be installed in any house. Not necessary to change pipes already in.

It goes into the basement, out of the way. It will last a life time. The company whose offices and display room are on Clay street, between Thirteenth and Fourteenth, is represented by Mr. H. Brandt, sales manager, who is always glad to give estimates on new buildings, or any installation desired.

Interior Decorations

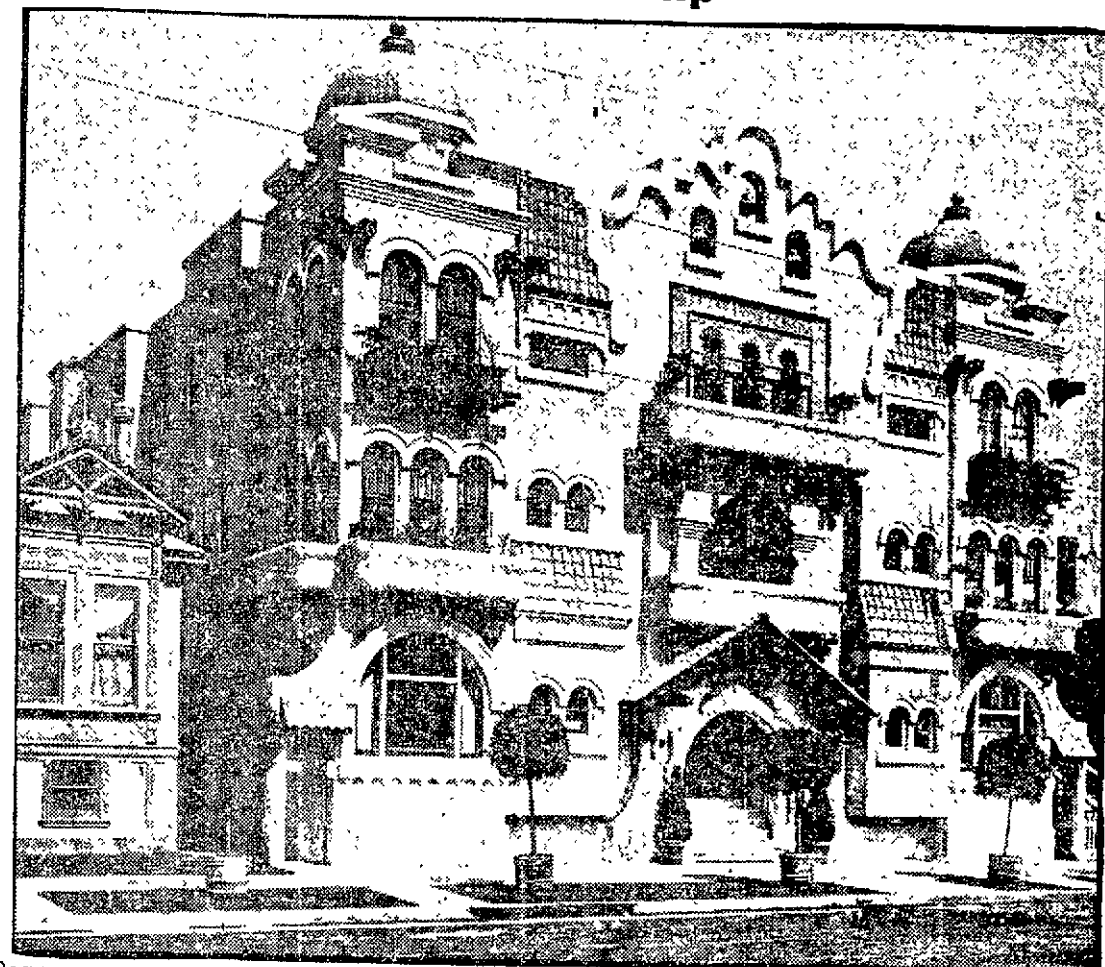
The painting, tinting and window shades were the work of the reliable and old established James Cahill & Company, 112-114 South Street, who are dealers in wall paper and window shades. Also painters and decorators. Their store is at 409 Twelfth street, between Broadway and Franklin streets. No better evidence of excellent work can be found anywhere than that done by them on the Casa Rosa Apartments.

Plastering of a High Order

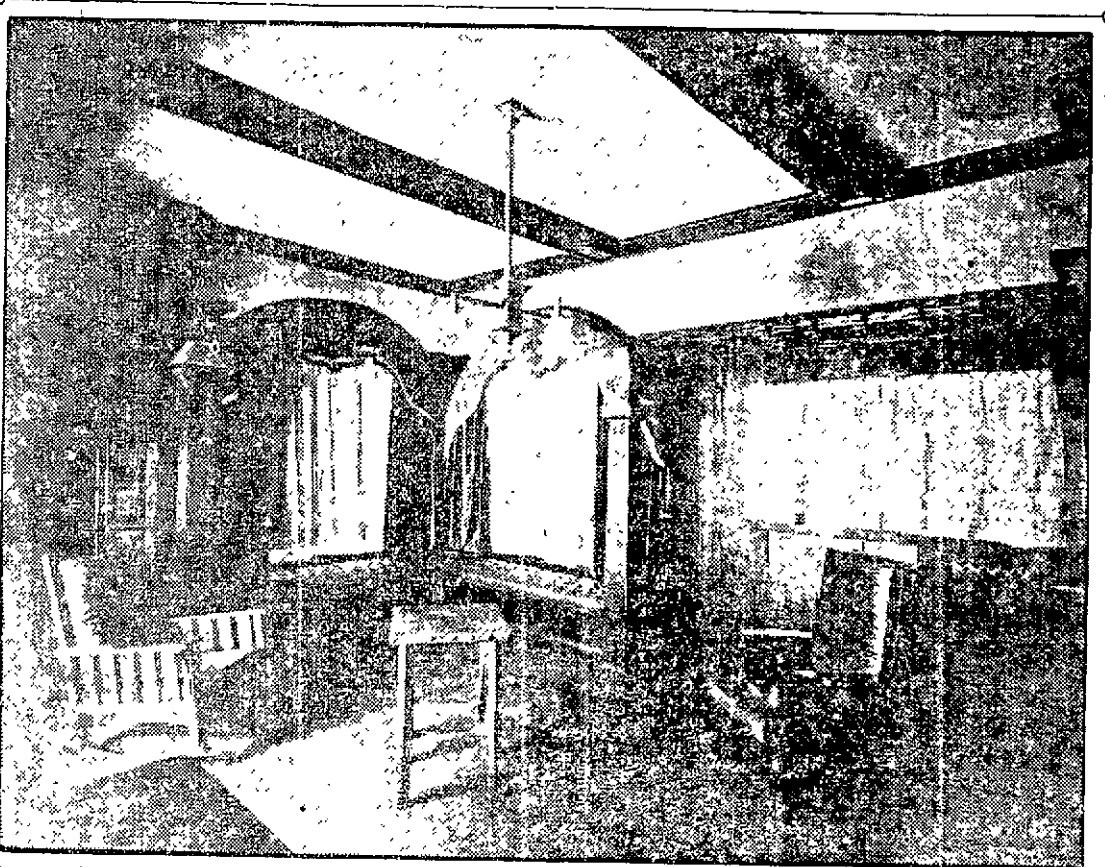
The plastering, a very important branch of any building, was done by Mr. N. K. Andersen, an old experienced plasterer, who supervised in a careful way all work entrusted to his care. This job was no exception to his unvarying rule of always doing first-class work. Any orders sent or phoned to his address, 787 Twenty-fifth street, will receive prompt attention.

Electric Wiring

Mr. Edward A. Klein of 426 Thirtieth street, did all the wiring throughout. This is unquestionably the work



CASA ROSA APARTMENTS.



PARLOR OF CASA ROSA APARTMENTS.

of an expert, which few are as competent to do as Mr. Klein. Unsatisfactory work of this character might not be known for months afterwards, but it is essential that a reliable and efficient man be employed. No mistake was made in the selection of such a person as the one here mentioned.

Sheet Metal Work

The sheet metal work was done by the Yager Sheet Metal and Plumbing Co., Inc., of 1006 Seventh street, Oakland. They do plain and ornamental sheet metal work of every description. Terra Cotta and patent chimneys, manufacturers of conductor pipes. They do all kinds of iron, copper and skylight. Mr. Geo. L. Yager is president of the company.

Reno Plaster

Reno plaster, a hard wall plaster, was used on the Casa Rosa Apartments. Good walls are an asset to any building. Offices, apartments and houses rent and sell more easily when they have sound, hard wall. Reno plaster guarantees to make an absolutely satisfactory wall in soundness, in finish, in durability.

You the builder, cannot afford to neglect your walls any more than you should neglect your foundation, or the interior wood finish. Be as careful with the walls as you are with all the rest of the material that goes into your house or building. You can not afford to do otherwise. The best is the cheapest always. "Reno" costs no more than other plaster and will save you future repair expense. Reno plaster guarantees to give you the most perfect and satisfactory results obtainable from Reno Hardwall Plaster. We will guarantee the wall made with it.

WESTERN BUILDING MATERIAL COMPANY, Rooms 286-7-8, Bacon Building, Oakland, California.

Model Plumbing Work

One of the most important and not the least essential feature of any building is the plumbing, as nothing tends to provoke and discourage tenants more than poor work of this character. Naturally, Mr. Kennedy, the owner, did not overlook this pre-eminent fact, as he selected the well known and reliable firm of Burtchell & Crowley, to do the sanitary plumbing and gas fitting and the hot water heating installation.

An examination of the porcelain tubs, the pipes and other work in their line in the Casa Rosa apartments, demonstrates the efficiency with which it is done, and the care taken in making it a standard for others to pattern after.

Messrs. Burtchell & Crowley have been in business in Oakland for years, and their store is located at

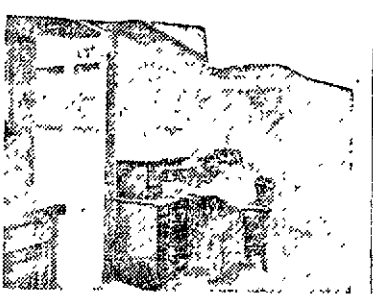
1313 Broadway, opposite the post-office.

It is a favorite by-word amongst hundreds of Oakland people that if the work is done by Burtchell & Crowley, it is all right.

The building is heated by the Ideal Boilers and American Radiators which have given entire satisfaction where ever installed.

Holmes Disappearing Bed

One of the principal features which makes the apartments in the Casa Rosa attractive and convenient is the



The Holmes Disappearing Bed concealed in its ventilated iron recess under writing desk in living room and cupboard in kitchen.

Holmes Disappearing Bed, which occupies no valuable space when out of sight and contained in a thoroughly ventilated metal recess, which makes the bed absolutely sanitary and vermin proof.

It is not a wall nor a folding bed. The Holmes Patent Disappearing Bed is being adopted and used in many of the principal apartment houses and hotels on the Coast, it being considered by owners and tenants to be an absolute necessity.

The same bed out of its sanitary hiding place ready for use. It can be rolled in by any part of the room with the effort of a child.

absolute convenience and space saver wherever used. It is simple and substantial in construction and can be moved to any position desired. Can get out of order and will last a life time.

The Holmes Disappearing Bed is also practical for residence and business, making it feasible to build three and four rooms with the same accommodations as has been obtained in five and six rooms ordinarily.

The Holmes Disappearing Beds are on display at rooms 687-695 Monnock Building, San Francisco.

Close to the Casa Rosa Apartments are several fine stores, to meet the demands of a large and growing community. It is unnecessary to go more than two blocks at the most for anything to be desired, and in any line.

Large Grocery and Hardware Store

On the corner of Fourteenth and Market is the fine store of J. W. Palmer & Son, with a complete line of groceries, fruits and vegetables. The business having increased to such proportions, it was necessary to open another store a few doors south to handle the kitchen utensils and household goods. Messrs. Palmer & Son have been in their present location for many years and have the confidence and esteem of thousands of friends and customers.

Meat Market

Ralph's Market, across the street from the Casa Rosa, at 1374 Market street, is a model for cleanliness, and first-class meats. A refrigerator keeps things fresh and cool. Mr. R. Asher, the genial proprietor, caters to a large trade, and wishes to have everybody pleased. The low prices on meat, poultry and fish are really surprising.

Maple Cream Store

The Maple Cream Store, 340 Fourteenth street, of which J. H. Cheatham is proprietor, makes a business of ice cream specialties which will be delivered on short notice to any address in Oakland, Alameda or Berkeley by simply telephoning the order. Fresh dairy products, candies, sodas, etc., always on hand. Sub-station Post Office, No. 19, is in the same store. Telephone, Oakland 3669.

Eureka Market

This market, one of the oldest and most favorably known in Oakland, conducted by Louis Burgelin, is located two blocks from the "Casa Rosa" at 1112 Market street. American beef, mutton, lamb, pork, real meat and sausages of all kinds constantly on hand and kept fresh and clean by up-to-date methods. Telephone Oakland 3537 and Home A-3587.

Cordial Invitation to the Public

The public will be gladly welcomed at any time to the Casa Rosa Apartments. Mrs. H. O. Wilson, the manager, strives to make it pleasant for spectators as well as guests.

POSTAL SAVINGS BANKS BOON TO THE PEOPLE, SAYS PAUL SCHAEFER

Address on Establishment of Government Banking Institutions Read Before Convention in Los Angeles.

The following thoughtful address prepared by Postmaster Paul Schaefer, who is recuperating at present at Kalnuth Springs, was read Thursday at the convention of postmasters in Los Angeles. Schaefer urges the establishment of postal savings banks. He says:

"Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen of the Convention: At the present time the small wage earners of the United States should have at least \$500,000,000 in the postal saving banks of the country. That they have not is an indication that while America may have gone ahead by leaps and bounds in the matter of commerce, education, scientific invention and in material greatness, she has not kept abreast of the times in the matter of establishing Postal Savings Banks that the small wage earner might have a depository for his savings which was absolutely secure. We are twenty years behind the times, for other countries have been with material greatness or the opportunity that this country affords, yet that does not mean that we will remain far behind the times. In America we have a habit of doing many things and doing them well. We can give the older countries a safe start of 20 years and before two decades are past we can outstrip them. Even in ten years I venture to say that if we establish postal savings banks that they will cut a large figure in the world of finance.

No Inconvenience
"Money saved is not the money that circulates in the small places. It is hidden away. It does not bear interest. At the end of one year a man with \$100 hidden has but \$106. Under the postal savings system he would have \$102 in ten years he would have approximately \$120 or in other words if he draws his deposit down there is actually circulating in his particular community \$20 more. The money is available at all times. The depositor suffers no inconvenience.

"Not only will the postal savings system put more money into circulation, when it is needed in small communities, but it will collect money which will be put into general circulation as well. In this country there is a wealth like \$30,000,000,000 worth of securities, such as national, state, county and city bonds. These securities will afford the Postmaster-General and other authorities to invest the postal savings a great field of investment. The securities being of such great value and of such a varied description there should be but little difficulty in selecting the very best investments. This would keep the money in circulation generally and could not help but confer benefits.

People Have Faith

"The chief reason, aside for the experience of other countries why the postal savings bank system in America would be a success, is that anything that Uncle Sam puts his hand to becomes permanent and enduring. His touch is magic and once he put his guarantee behind the postal savings banks the confidence of the people in them would be instant and unshakable. The implicit trust the people repose in the National government is a healthy sign and shows that patriotism is still alive and that the people have an inflexible belief that whatever is done by the government is perfect. This trust and faith of the people is precisely what would make the postal savings bank an instantaneous success. There is no necessity of telling the wage earner that anything guaranteed by the government is safe. He knows it. Once the United States government says that it will receive small deposits from wage earners that fact alone will be an advertisement that will in a few short years cause nearly a billion dollars to be collected together and put into circulation.

Boon to the Timid

"Not only will the postal savings bank be a beneficent institution for the small wage earner but they will be an irresistible lure for the penurious and parsimonious who have hitherto used a long stocking for a tank. Again it will be a boon to the timorous and the timid. The stingy miserly person, who fears to put his money into circulation, because he fears private banks may fail, cannot resist the appeal of a government guarantee of his deposit. His faith in the greatness and goodness of the government is like that of other people. Instead of allowing his coin to be tied up in an old sock and buried possibly in the ground, he will take it to the postal savings bank, put it in circulation where it will do the most good, and he will be a blessing to the community despite his miserly and stingy attributes. Again, in the case of the timid person who is fearful of banks in general, but otherwise is a desirable citizen. His faith in the greatness and integrity of Uncle Sam is such that the postal bank system would make his timidly melt away like frost before the rising sun and he would be only too delighted to deposit his money and draw 2 per cent interest because it was circulating.

"Last, but not least, there is the small wage earner who is neither timid or parsimonious. He is a good citizen and a valuable asset to the nation. But for many years he has not been encouraged in a small way to save his earnings. He has given the citizen of the United States every educational advantage but we have failed to educate the masses in thrift and economy. The only way to do it is by a system of national postal savings banks.

"The amount of money that would be kept in circulation in event of the establishment of postal savings banks is little short of stupendous. In England the depositors have deposited per capita about \$35. In this country where wages are uniformly greater the deposits per capita would be greater, but taking the figures of England as a basis of calculation it would mean that the great sum of \$300,000,000 and more would be on deposit and there would be practically this amount of money put into circulation to give the currency of the nation what it needs most—elasticity.

"There have been times when the money hidden away in safe deposit vaults, in old socks and in a hundred other hiding places could have been used to vast advantage by the entire United States. In times of panic even the faith of the people in the United States is so great that they would flock to the 46,000 postal bank repositories and place their money with Uncle Sam. Under these conditions the banks with plenty of good security could obtain money on which to do business. With the money, however, hidden away in safe deposit vault or other places there is absolutely no possibility of the banks getting hold of a red cent until the persons holding the money get over their fright. It has been urged by some that the establishment of the savings banks by the government would be a distinct disadvantage to other banks. History shows otherwise and it seems to be that in times of panic the postal banks of the government would be the greatest aid of the other banks. The postal savings bank would keep the money in circulation and that is all that is required to keep prosperity with us.

"The opponents of the measures now pending in Congress for the establishment of the postal savings banks assert that the greatest drawback to the scheme is

that the postal banks would relieve that rural district small town and small village of their ready cash.

"This is the most important objection made, but a brief examination of the figures, it seems to me, shows conclusively that instead of decreasing the amount of available money in these places it will increase it.

Charges Untrue, Penniless.
"Brooklyn Woman Telegraphs to San Francisco Judge

SAN FRANCISCO, July 24.—In this brief fashion Mrs. Margaret C. Ludwig answered a divorce action her husband began last year, in which he charged that she had several illicit affairs in San Francisco and in the habit of frequenting Barbary Coast dance halls without a chapman.

"Brooklyn, N. Y., July 24.—Divorce case 22257.—Wife, destitute, prays with grief, charges untrue, unable to appear; penniless.

"MRS. JOHN W. LUDWIG, 'Adam St., Brooklyn, N. Y.' The telegram reaches Judge Van Nostrand, who after reading the contents, said that he had never heard of the case.

The couple were married in Brooklyn on August 21, 1906, and came to this city to the Ludwig is a government employee.

MAJORITY VOTE PROPOSED FOR GEARY-ST. BONDS
SUN FRANCISCO, July 24.—C. W. Thibault, secretary of the Geary-St. Railway Promotion Association, an active worker in favor of the changing of the road to a municipally operated system, has submitted to Chairman Johnston of the Supervisors' public utilities committee drafts of three proposed amendments to the charter.

The first, framed in aid of the Geary-street-railroad project, makes a majority vote instead of two-thirds sufficient to carry a bond issue.

The second provides for the creation of a new board of twelve public library trustees, three to be appointed by the Mayor each year after the creation of the board and three to retire annually.

The third measures the duty of the District Attorney to see that all municipal officials perform their duties properly, and also requires him to maintain in his office a "Bureau of Complaints" to which citizens shall be free to protest against infractions of law on the part of any employee or official of the city and county.

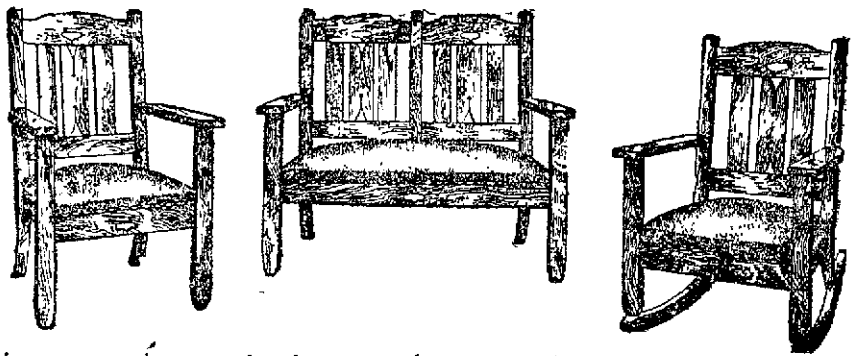
TRANSPORT BUFORD READY FOR VOYAGE
SAN FRANCISCO, July 4.—The transport Buford, more hospitable than ever, is at Police Street dock, in readiness to sail at noon tomorrow for Seattle en route to Manila. No passengers will be taken from here, but at the northern port many saloon passengers will be taken aboard, as well as the officers and men of the Third Infantry, all bound for the Philippines.

Watch Our Windows This Week

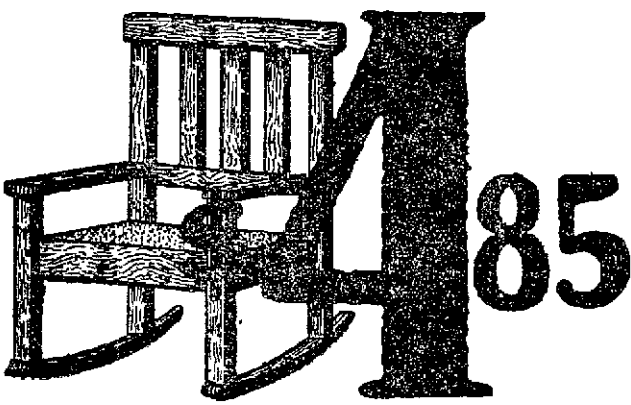
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coupled with our low prices make it easy for you to get a well furnished home.



This massive mission style—weathered oak finish—three-piece set—Divan, Rocker and Chair—upholstered in leatherette—a regular \$29 value—this week **\$19.75**



This handsome mission style Rocker in weathered or fumed oak finish—seat upholstered in leatherette—a regular \$7.50 value—this week **\$4.85**

A regular \$15 Rocker—mission style—weathered oak finish—genuine leather upholstered seat—this week **\$7.75**

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CLASSIFIED ADS IN THE TRIBUNE PAY BIG RETURNS FOR MONEY INVESTED

SCRIPTURE SAYS THERE IS A HELL

San Franciscoan Answers Contentment of "Millennial Dawn-ist" to This Effect

EDITOR TRIBUNE: I read in your paper of recent date an article with a headline, "Hell is a Myth," written by a Mr. Russell. Had this gentleman added on the name of the sect he represented one might have thought less of such a statement. Hell,
Many would never have read the article with the words "Millennial Dawn" attached to it. It seems to me that the reverend gentleman has been sailing somewhat under false colors. I may be wrong, but why was the sect that he represents not given out boldly instead of being evaded. One might have said that this man was of the Presbyterian church, but not so.

Something About Dawnists

I would not wish to take up your valuable space, but knowing that your city has many Orthodox churches, and that there will be many who will wonder how such remarks would have been allowed from a pulpit of a Presbyterian church, I feel that it is only right that the people should know just who the Rev. Russell represents and call them by their right name, "Millennial Dawnists."

This sect is like many others, and is, as the word of God says, "Trying to climb up into heaven by some other way than the word of God." They are trying to pervert the scriptures to suit their own particular sect. I do not profess to be a great Bible student, but this one thing I know, that the words of Jesus Christ should be sufficient to satisfy one as to the question of their being a literal hell as much as a heaven. I could mention much scripture where our Lord speaks of hell and its everlasting torment, but will only mention of Christ's Sermon on the Mount—and this should be sufficient for Mr. Russell—and we will profess Christ, and even expect to reach heaven, had better stand on Christ's words and not dabble or run any risk with such nonsense as comes from our "Millennial Dawn" friends. Let us stand true to Christ, and if we accept the Bible, accept all and not just parts of it.

Quotes the Bible

In Matthew 5 we read, "And seeing the multitude, He went up into a mountain, and when He was set, His disciples came unto Him."
"And He opened His mouth, and taught them, saying, 'Blessed are the poor in spirit: for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.'"

He not alone speaks of heaven; no, but in the following verses He speaks of hell—"But I say unto you that whosoever is angry with his brother without cause shall be in danger of the judgment, and whosoever shall say to his brother, 'Raca,' shall be in danger of the council, but whosoever shall say that he shall be in danger of hell fire."
Again we read in the last verses of this same chapter of "Being cast into hell." This one chapter and words of our Lord is or should be, sufficient for

OPPOSITION LINE IS BEGUN BY HILL

Work Along Deschutes River Said to Be Blow to Hariman Interests

PORTLAND, Ore., July 24.—The Oregonian today prints a dispatch from The Dalles, which says that work along the Deschutes river into Central Oregon for the Hill interests, in opposition to Hariman, was begun yesterday. Prefacing this statement, the dispatch asserts that equipment sufficient for a railroad outfit of from 500 to 600 men was brought to The Dalles yesterday on the steamer Bailey Gatzert from Portland. Continuing, the dispatch states that Johnson Porter, a member of the firm of Porter & Deschutes, a contracting firm supposed to be allied with the Hill interests, and said to be the owners of the record of the Oregon Trunk, was in charge of the outfit and superintended its unloading at The Dalles. The Oregon Trunk and the Deschutes road of the Hariman system run parallel into Central Oregon. Mr. Porter, in a statement to the Oregonian, refused to admit that the Hill interests were behind the road, but he did state that the road is to be constructed in opposition to the Hariman system. He said that the interest behind the move might be the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul road, the Chicago Northwestern railroad, or one of many other railroads heading for Oregon.

CHICAGO WILL HAVE HOME FOR GRAND OPERA

CHICAGO, July 24.—Oscar Hammerstein has announced that he will contribute two-thirds of the \$1,000,000 he deems essential to erecting a Chicago home for grand opera. The remaining one-third must be donated by persons here who desire to have a permanent opera company in the West.

us in this twentieth century, or must, and will we let poor, miserable humanity try and change the very words of "Christ The Living God"—try and confound His Word—are we going to believe Christ, professing to be His followers or believe in men like the Rev. Mr. Russell, who dares to say "Hell is a myth." Only recently a statement was published in our daily papers that a certain clergyman of our city had said "that a half of San Francisco's population was pagan. Maybe that statement was correct. I will not dispute him, but surely with such remarks as coming from the Rev. Russell, standing in our church pulpits, it is not to be wondered at.
Let us be careful as Christians and remember the scripture, Matthew vii:13, 14, 15: "Enter ye in at the strait gate; for wide is the gate, and broad is the way, that leadeth to destruction, and many there be which go in thereto."
"Because straight is the gate, and narrow is the way which leadeth into life, and few there be that find it."
"Beware of false prophets, which come to you in sheep's clothing, but inwardly they are ravening wolves."

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tom of the sea and the escape of Ed-

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**CLASSIFIED ADS IN THE TRIBUNE PAY BIG RETURNS
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BATTING BEE IN FOURTH CAVE SEALS FOUR RUNS

RUCKER'S TWIRLING 'SLIM' NELSON UNABLE TO STEM TIDE OF DEFEAT AFTER SOCKING MUNDORFF WITH RIB-ROASTER

Sixteen Men Fanned by Pitcher in St. Louis-Brooklyn Game

Oakland Had Three Chances to Score, but Luck Broke Against Them—Tennant's Catch Saves the Seals

By HERMAN F. BUDDE.

If the Athenians could only kidnap a little locket which Browning is said to wear beneath his blouse every time he is sent onto the firing line, perhaps his string of victories could be broken. It is said that the little locket is his talisman and that ever since he has worn it Dame Fortune has been his constant attendant and supporter. It would make an interesting story to find out the secrets of this charm and how he discovered that it possessed such mystic powers, but that is not telling how lucky he was yesterday in getting away with the fifth game between the Seals and the Athenians. There is no denying the fact that things did not break right for him for they did. Ready men threatened to chase him to the woods more than once but on every occasion when it was time to cut the ropes and put the crusher on the Mohawks good and thick, the perverse little imp would bob its head and grin a sickly grin, and with it Oakland's hopes went a glimmering.

Faded Visions of Victory
Ever since the brilliant victory of Tuesday the Seals had glorious visions of capturing the pennant and playing on the ocean shore of the big Pacific coast, but the spirit of Oakland's victory faded and only a glimmering vision remained.

Four Runs Made
Tennant's catch out a fly ball to the third baseman, Willie in the third inning, was the only one of the four runs made. Willie in the third inning, was the only one of the four runs made.

PHILADELPHIA AND REDS DIVIDE HONORS
Philadelphia and the Reds divided honors in the game of the day.

AMERICAN
The American League game was a close one.

STANDING OF NATIONAL LEAGUE CLUBS
The following table shows the standing of the National League clubs.

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SOX WIN A HARD FOUGHT GAME
The Sox won a hard fought game against the Yankees.

CLEVELAND AND NEW YORK SPLIT EVEN
Cleveland and New York split the game evenly.

TWELVE INNINGS AT DETROIT
The game at Detroit went for twelve innings.

Palmer Defeats Inman In Semi-Finals Singles
Palmer defeated Inman in the semi-finals of the singles tournament.

Willing to Give Team For Pitcher Raymond
The team is willing to give up for pitcher Raymond.

CRICKETERS COMING TO UNITED STATES
Cricketers are coming to the United States for a tour.



BEAUTIFUL TROPHY OFFERED CLUB WINNING TRIBUNE LEAGUE PENNANT

So enthusiastic have become those interested in the Tribune Alameda County Baseball League that THE TRIBUNE has decided to give to the club which wins the pennant a beautiful \$150 silver trophy. The cup will be engraved by an expert and will have on it the names of the members of the winning team, as well as the names of the different clubs.

The handsome prize will be an inducement for the organization of strong nines and an incentive for the young tossers to do their best. The managers of the different teams will gather tomorrow night at the Reliance Club rooms to hold their second meeting and perfect the plans of the league. The meeting will be called at 7:30.

New Records by Flanagan
Becoming Regular Habit

FRESNO TAKES OPENING GAME FROM STOCKTON
Fresno took the opening game from Stockton in the afternoon.

NEW SPORT FOR BERLIN
A new sport has been introduced in Berlin.

Beavers Dangerous in Sixth
The Beavers are dangerous in the sixth inning.

Another Narrows Escape
The team escaped another narrow escape.

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DR. MAY 1054 Broadway
Dr. May is located at 1054 Broadway.

SENATORS NOSE OUT AHEAD IN CLASSY EXHIBITION

Jansing's, Flanigan's and Bernard's Catches Are Features of Game

LOS ANGELES, July 24.—Yerxa and the sharp nose caught the Senators in the fourth inning. The Senators led 1-0 in the fourth inning.

'Truck' Eagan Comes Through
Bernard hit a grander to deep short in the fourth and hit the throw to first.

ARREST
A man was arrested for a crime.

BASEBALL
The baseball game was a close one.

WEEK MEN
The week men are working hard.

CHICHESTER'S PILLS
Chichester's Pills are for various ailments.

Every Woman
Every woman should have Chichester's Pills.

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Talks on Teeth

By Rex Dental Co., Inc.

"Tickled to Death with Teeth"

A promise to give an examination one day resulted in a visit to the dental office. I have been reading your advertisement for years, but I have not had time to go. I am now a dentist, and I am sure that you will be satisfied with the results of my examination. I am sure that you will be satisfied with the results of my examination.

"And to think that I have been so long without a dental examination. I am sure that you will be satisfied with the results of my examination. I am sure that you will be satisfied with the results of my examination."

"I am tickled to death with my new teeth," he said as he went away. Now you may be sure that I am not exaggerating. I am sure that you will be satisfied with the results of my examination. I am sure that you will be satisfied with the results of my examination."

Nothing to fear and you will be just as much of an authority on the subject as I am. I am sure that you will be satisfied with the results of my examination. I am sure that you will be satisfied with the results of my examination."

Will you come now and let us look your teeth over? Another thing I want to mention is that you don't obligate yourself to spend a penny just because you call for a free examination. I am sure that you will be satisfied with the results of my examination. I am sure that you will be satisfied with the results of my examination."

We must see the teeth before we can promise to do the work. There are some cases where we cannot touch the teeth without causing pain. I am sure that you will be satisfied with the results of my examination. I am sure that you will be satisfied with the results of my examination."

It is the greatest thing on the subject of teeth ever written. I am sure that you will be satisfied with the results of my examination. I am sure that you will be satisfied with the results of my examination."

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We have purchased 10,000 yards from Babel & Company of Philadelphia at 10 cents on the dollar. The season being backward in the East, this whole lot of goods is overstocked and they sacrificed their stock to us. 24 cents on the dollar.

Among this lot are fine West of England Pick and Blue Serge, fine Imported Scotch Tweed, Bannockburn and Gunshields, also Fancy Striped Black and Blue Worsters, Cheviots and Gray Mixtures. These goods were made to sell at \$30.00 to \$50.00, but as we bought them at 40 cents on the dollar we will sell

\$20 and \$22.50 Suits at \$14.50
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BERNARD SHAW TO TOUR AMERICA

Famous Author Expected to Speak in Principal Cities of America

NEW YORK, July 24.—It is now fully believed that George Bernard Shaw, the Irish playwright whose productions have caused a revolution in the theater, will visit America before the year is out. A brief telegram was received from J. P. Mohr, head of the International Association of the Dramatic Arts, stating that Shaw was about to come to America. Shaw, who is known as the "millionaire" because of his income from his plays, is expected to arrive in New York in the fall. He will then tour the country, speaking in the principal cities. Shaw's plays have been successful in Europe and America. He is expected to bring with him a large number of his plays, which he will read to the public. Shaw is a man of great talent and his plays are of great value to the theater. He is expected to be a great success in America.

RUSSIANS TAKE JAPANESE SHIP

Sealing Schooner Caught Poaching and is Captured by Cruiser

VICTORIA, July 24.—News was brought by the Empress of China, which reached port today, of the seizure of the Japanese sealing schooner, the Tokawa Maru, by a Russian cruiser off the coast of Alaska. The schooner was caught poaching on the Russian seal rookeries in the North Pacific. The Tokawa Maru had two boats ashore while others were returning with seal skins from the rookeries. When the Russian cruiser came out of the fog, the boat crews on the way from the sealing ground hurried to the schooner and an attempt was made to cut away the anchor. The schooner was then fired upon by the cruiser. The Tokawa Maru was then captured and taken to the Russian port. The schooner was found to be carrying a large quantity of seal skins. The Russian cruiser was then ordered to return to port. The schooner was then released and allowed to return to Japan.

FIVE GIRLS JOURNEY LONG DISTANCE ON FOOT

HODGENSVILLE, Ky., July 24.—Five girls, who started on foot from Chicago, arrived here today. They had been on the road for five days. They were tired and hungry, but they were happy to be home. They had been on the road for five days, and they had traveled a distance of 100 miles. They had been on the road for five days, and they had traveled a distance of 100 miles. They had been on the road for five days, and they had traveled a distance of 100 miles.

RAILWAY WILL ABOLISH "LEFT-HANDED" TRAINS

CHICAGO, July 24.—Left-handed trains will be given up by the Chicago and North Western Railway. The railway will now run all trains on the right-hand side of the track. This will be a great improvement for the railway. It will make the trains run more smoothly and it will save a great deal of time. The railway will now run all trains on the right-hand side of the track. This will be a great improvement for the railway. It will make the trains run more smoothly and it will save a great deal of time.

College Girl Has Made Success on The Orpheum Stage



MABEL PAULSON.

Miss Mabel Paulson, the first soprano of the Orpheum, is the guest of the new closing her first week's engagement. Miss Paulson is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Busey, 112 Bay View Avenue, Oakland. She is a young woman of superior education, culture, refinement and comes from a good family. She is well and favorably known for her rendition of classical music in eastern Washington and northern Idaho and deserves great credit for the right studies. She has made in her musical career. She has studied under Madame De Berg, Loignon of Boston and Na Krantz of Spokane, Washington. After her engagement with the Orpheum is closed, she is going to Europe for a course of three years' study. Miss Paulson is a graduate of the University of Idaho and has a large circle of warm friends who are rejoicing in her success.

Life 100,000 Years Ago

Scientists have found in a cave in Switzerland bones of men who lived 100,000 years ago. They were found in a cave in Switzerland. They were found in a cave in Switzerland. They were found in a cave in Switzerland.

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SECURES VALUABLE SHEEP IN ENGLAND

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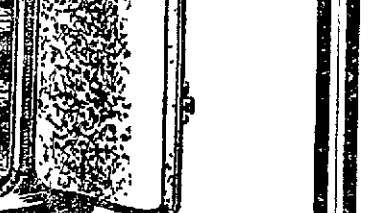
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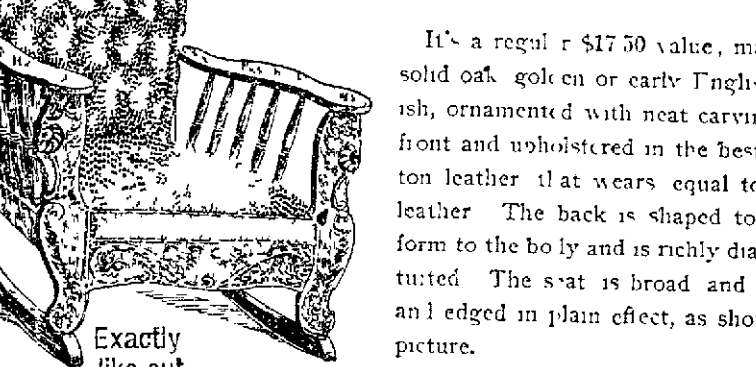
12th St. Washington & Clay - OAKLAND.

Some splendid bargains in furniture

Sample odd pieces of discontinued lines
Closing our July furniture exhibition sale

No better opportunity than right now to pick up a nice piece of furniture. There's a number of articles in every department and the reductions range 20, 25, 33 1-3 and 50 per cent.

They are mostly in the better grades of goods, but the discounts bring them lower in price than the inferior grades usually sell for. Sale closes Saturday, July 31. Come any day this week.



This sample rocker \$8.75
One in golden oak and one in early English

It's a regular \$17.50 value, made of solid oak, golden or early English finish, ornamented with neat carvings on front and upholstered in the best Boston leather that wears equal to real leather. The back is shaped to conform to the body and is richly diamond tufted. The seat is broad and deep, and edged in plain effect, as shown in picture.

Brussels rugs, Size 9x12 feet \$14.75
There's just eighteen of these

Nine patterns, two each
Look where you will, you can't find better rug value than this. These rugs are of the highest character in all the beautiful Oriental and floral effects, tans, greens and reds, heavy turned edges lay perfectly flat on the floor.

Just eighteen in the lot, regularly worth \$17.50—Special \$14.75



Here's another
Sample rocker \$11.85
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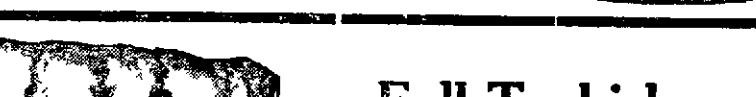
A regular \$17.50 value, select quarter-sawn oak, early English finish, purely mission design; full square effect, broad arms, heavy post, seat upholstered in genuine Spanish leather, it's large, roomy and comfortable. Special \$11.85.

Solid Oak
Exactly like picture

No. 8 granite tea-kettles 55c

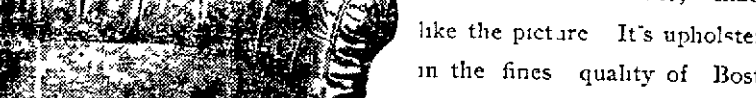
Jackson's Monday Special

Best quality steel enameled ware, and the popular size on sale all day Monday, one to a customer. Terms, cash, no telephone or C. O. D. orders. POSITIVELY NO DELIVERY.



Full Turkish sample rocker for \$19.75

A stately, comfortable Rocker and one that will last, exactly like the picture. It's upholstered in the finest quality of Boston leather, which looks like real leather and wears equally as well. Closely tufted back fluted edges, fringe around bottom, mounted on genuine Harrington springs. Just two of these, the regular price is \$35.00.



Entire line of 75c grade linoleum
Bright new patterns best quality, cut and delivered 42c the yard for Monday and Tuesday only. Bring size of room.

NOTE—If to be laid and measure taken, 10c per yard extra will be charged.

42c Yd

Mrs. de Nivernais Is the Daughter of the Late James H. Budd

SAN FRANCISCO, July 24.—There has been a lot of pother in the prints about the rivalry between the Frank Carolans and the Will Crockers in the matter of building their mansions in the fashionable suburbs. But the truth of the falling-out hasn't yet been told.

The cold fact is, the split came, as so many other ructions have come, over the graft prosecution. The Carolans took the side of Rudolph Spreckels. Of course the Crockers were on the other side. The two families had been intimate. Then came the rift in the lute.

One morning Mrs. Crocker saw Frank Carolan at the Burlingame station and haughtily gave him the overlook. The next day on the Burlingame Club porch Mrs. Carolan wanted to know why Mrs. Crocker had passed up Mr. Carolan. There were words, and words, and words. And Willie hasn't spoke to Frankie since.

From that came a determination to have the finest home in the countryside. It is a splendid struggle and there certainly will be two show places added to the attractions of the peninsula.

This controversy gives Willis Polk his chance at last, and it brings up the old story of the thousand dollar bill that went to light a cigar. Polk has been selected to get up the plans for the Carolan mansion after he had for years made elaborate plans for Mrs. Crocker, though the house was never built. Architect Hobart, who married at Sacramento, a Miss Deming, who is related to the Crockers, is finishing the Crocker palace. So now Polk has his chance to show the Crockers that he really had the right idea in country palaces after all the fuss.

But about the thousand dollar bill. That relates to one of the Mahoneys, who builds for the Crockers. Back in the days when A. Paige Brown brought out the modern idea of details in building operations there was a big tangle over a big job. A friend of the Mahoneys was in a way to lose a big wad of money unless those details were changed.

The story goes that one of the Mahoneys took Polk out to dinner. The architect, then a young man, had charge of those annoying details. Mahoney argued that they should be modified. Polk argued that they should not. There was a lot of wine, and the evening grew merrier and merrier.

By and by the architect felt a hand go into his overcoat pocket. After a time he felt in the pocket and drew out a thousand dollar bill. Folding it, he stepped to a gas jet and touched it to the flame. Then he lit his cigar with the bill, and as its value was consumed, he said coolly:

"Somebody is out a thousand dollars and I am nothing in. Those details will not be changed."

But Polk didn't build the Crocker house or do any of the other Crocker work that is under the control of the Mahoneys. Now comes his chance for an all-round artistic revenge. But for all of that our "first families" are drifting further and further apart and "passing by on the other side."

Over from Europe has come a very simple explanation of something the Call heavily tried to make a deep mystery of a few months ago. This simple explanation comes in the shape of a wedding announcement as follows:

MRS. JOSEPH BUDD

Has the honor of announcing the marriage of her granddaughter,
ZILLA DUMOURIEZ,

to

MR. EDWARD JAMES DE NIVERNAIS

On Monday, the seventh of June, one thousand nine hundred and nine,
At the First Congregational Church, Jersey City, New Jersey.

Now that is all very plain. Mrs. Joseph Budd is the venerable mother of the late Governor James H. Budd. The announcement of the marriage of her granddaughter means that the lady is the late Governor's daughter. Edward James de Nivernais is none other than our old friend, the former Congressman, Edward J. Livernash, who changed his name in Nevada to his old family patronymic and was duly divorced from his first wife.

Mrs. Dumouriez de Nivernais was part of Governor Budd's family for years, but when the Governor's will was exploited an effort was made to make a mystery of her position in the family. She claimed none of the estate, as she was a woman of an independent fortune—a fortune left her by her first husband. The present announcement by Mrs. Budd clears away everything, and a card tells that Mr. and Mrs. de Nivernais have taken the Casa del Sole, Sainte Maxime-sur-Mer, in the glorious Cote d'Or, France. And in time De Nivernais may come to the top and form a French Cabinet.

Keep your eye on Mexico! Not that I mean to start a boom for the place; nor do I wish to pose as a prophet or an alarmist. But there is a devil of a stir going on in the country of manana.

We hear a lot of the Young Turks, and we are getting a lot of news about the revolution in Persia. But we don't get a line on what is going forward under the rose in our southern neighbor. Things are ripe for a big blow-up down there, and the great question in the

minds of many in Mexico is not what would be the outcome of a rising, but what would the United States do in the matter.

It isn't a revolution against Diaz that is in the wind, but a revolution against the effort of Diaz to name Ramon Corral as his successor. It is not a peon uprising that threatens, but a movement of men of money and influence; and they have a notion that in case of a show-down Diaz would turn to the United States and perhaps offer to let this country take Mexico for its own.

In any event, just keep your eye on Mexico, and do not be surprised if there are doings down there that will open the eyes of the people of this country.

More and more I wonder at the fatuity of property owners who permit advertising fences in front of their property. Up and down the city you see these fences, mounting higher and higher. Up on top of the fences, rather inconspicuous, will be a sign, "For Sale," or "To Lease."

But you never see one of those pieces of property leased or sold. The advertising fences put the hoodoo on the property. Nobody seems to want to inspect a lot that is hidden behind a big fence. Agents have come to appreciate this hoodoo. But owners go on, and in fatuous fashion destroy the value of their holdings for a few cheap dollars paid for the hideous fences. A well-cleaned lot with a good sidewalk in front of it doesn't remain long in an agent's hands.

Here a few months ago San Francisco couldn't get up gumption and energy enough to start a taxicab company. But now there are three companies running taxicabs in this city, and all of them seem to be doing remarkably well.

The great trouble seems to be that enough of the little machines cannot be secured to meet the demand for them. All the country seems to have gone taxicab mad all of a sudden. The factories cannot make them fast enough, and so San Francisco, with all her taxicab companies can't get the number of machines the people want.

The little things have already become very popular. They are just the thing for shopping or for catching a train or boat. Of course, when it comes to touring they are more expensive than the big automobiles, even at the ridiculous old rate of \$5 an hour—a rate that already has gone all to pieces under the competition of the taxis. And by and by the taxicab rate will also come down, and we will soon be able to get a boat and carry a grip to it for 50 cents.

The way baseball is taking hold of the general public is shown by the fact that there is a stir in the clubs again over an effort to arrange a charity match. It may be recalled that something like twenty years ago the Bohemian and Pacific Union Clubs played several matches for the benefit of the fashionable charities. Then the Bohemians and the University Club played a game or two, and once even the Bohemians went over to Emeryville and were beaten by a nine from your Athenian Club.

Now there is such general talk of baseball that the preliminary steps are being taken for a game between the lads of The Family and the Bohemian players. Such a match would bring out all the fashionables and would raise a fine fat fund for some charity. It is a certainty, however, that when the clubmen begin to sit up and talk of playing matches the good old national game has taken a new grip on the dear people, and that the fortunes of the managers and manipulators are assured for several years to come.

The fuss over the funeral of Modjeska in Poland recalls the old story of her tilt with Maurice Barrymore, the most caustic wit of the stage. It was in the light of her first fame in America. "Barry" was in her company, and she got a bit of a swelled head over her triumphs and was a lot toppy with her associates.

One day she tilted her head and made some rather harsh remark to Barrymore. The actor drew himself up in turn and said in his cynical style:

"Madam, the name Barrymore was famous on the stage of both England and America when most of the English-speaking people thought Modjeska was the name of a tooth-wash."

Recently the club gourmets have been tickling their pampered palates with a new dish. It came down from Alaska consigned to Louis Sloss. It was sealed, and double sealed, and triple sealed. Every possible precaution had been taken to prevent breakage, theft or air-spilling.

Sloss, in his usual generous fashion, distributed the dainty to his club friends, and at several notable banquets it was the piece of honor at the feast. All said that it was new to them. There was some debate as to whether it was as great a joy as the north had represented it to be. Some stuck up for it warmly. It was at least the gustatory sensation of its time. And what do you suppose it was?

The nose of a moose—a big fellow, killed by the Indians on the Yukon.

Members of the three expensive haberdasher firms of this city express no surprise that wealthy Americans like Henry C. Frick of Pittsburgh and New York are spending in London as much as \$750 for a suit of finely finished silk underwear. They assert that fifty and more

wealthy Californians, mostly of San Francisco, have for a good many years been spending a hundred or two hundred dollars on a single suit of silk underwear. Sometimes these millionaires, or members of millionaires' families, order direct while in London or order through these San Francisco stores for the London makes of underwear they want. The haberdasher artists whisper softly that Francis J. Carolan is especially fastidious and extravagant about this part of his clothing and that men like George A. Newhall, William H. Crocker, Banker Donohoe, James L. Flood, James V. Coleman and others like such garments costing in three figures. They don't run to frills, however, like men of the Carolan stamp. J. Downey Harvey and James D. Phelan used to be in the Newhall and Crocker underwear class before the fire, say these haberdasher fellows, but since that date have found comfort, if not complete satisfaction, in a cheaper silk garb next the skin.

John Hays Hammond, the famous mining engineer and Californian, is no longer enjoying a \$500,000 yearly salary from the Guggenheims of the American Smelting Company or so-called smelter trust. He enjoyed that salary for five years and the contract recently terminated. The provisions of that contract provided that he should not engage in mining schemes of his own. He found that provision rather irksome, so he and the Guggenheims agreed not to renew the contract. Hammond is free, therefore, to make mining investments for himself and others, and this explains why he is in Mexico just at present making a \$5,000,000 deal for the La Blanca mine in the vicinity of Pachuca for himself and G. B. Palmer of New York and several other parties. Hammond is a millionaire several times over and his friends say that he can make more money by working outside of rather than within a Guggenheim contract. He and the Guggenheims, however, are still very friendly and he is to do work for them when they see fit to call on him to report on and make appraisements of mining properties for them. Hammond has made several mining investments for himself of late and it is said he has taken in on these deals his old friend, Rider Haggard, the Englishman, whose stories of Africa, "King Solomon's Mines," "Allan Quatermain" and others were much in vogue several years ago.

Charles R. Crane of Chicago, the new United States Minister to China by the appointment of President Taft a few days ago, has at least one business man in this city who does not wish him well. It is H. T. Lally, the iron and steel dealer. For many years Lally represented the Crane Company on this coast at a \$20,000 salary per annum. This firm is one of the big iron and steel houses. Several years before the fire Charles R. Crane, the new Minister, had time-registering machines put in all the branch houses of the firm, including the one in San Francisco, and issued orders for all employees and officials to register when they came to work and when they quit. Lally refused to obey orders and protested to the Chicago office against such a personal requirement on his part. He was told that no exception could be made and that his own brother in New York with a salary equal to his own did not think the rule beneath his dignity.

"I'll not obey the rule," wrote back Lally. "Obey or resign," was Charles R. Crane's ultimatum. Lally threw up his \$20,000 job against the protest of family and friends and started an opposition agency which he still conducts.

"Gene" Schmitz, the former Mayor of this town, is gold mining in Butte county, where he and his brother have two quartz mines. They are spending all of their time in that section of the State and the people there are watching their operations with considerable interest. It is said by those who know that the ex-Mayor and his brother have two good investments. One is the St. Francis mine and the other the Carlyle mine, near Forest-town. They are said to own the latter in its entirety and two-thirds of the stock of the St. Francis. Schmitz is keeping his mining affair and operations as quiet as possible and seemingly has no desire to mingle much with his newly-formed neighbors in the county of Butte, except when it is absolutely necessary. It is expected that he will make that county his permanent home.

The innocence of those two San Mateo county officials, District Attorney J. J. Bullock and Sheriff Bob Chatham, who, by the way, has a \$15,000 home, is delicious. All of San Francisco and most of San Mateo know that good, stiff gambling games have been running for months in the A Mon Chateau and Northern Club, just over the line in San Mateo. Bullock and Chatham say they have not found it out yet and The Examiner has been making their position in this matter ridiculous and very uncomfortable. The gamblers have all along been making monthly payments, it is alleged, for protection. Who gets this money, deponent sayeth not. Bullock ran for Superior Judge against Judge Buck last fall and was beaten. What helped to encompass his downfall was a sworn court document filed in a suit against him by a daughter of N. J. Britton, the millionaire and clubman. This document was filed at Redwood City and its statements were corroborated by Contractor E. W. McLellan, the man who wrecked the Palace Hotel after the fire.

Diogenes with his lantern searching for an honest

man could easily find him in the person of Joseph R. Brandon of this city. Eleven years ago Brandon borrowed \$800 from W. E. Barron, giving his note. Since then Barron has died. Brandon was unable to pay the note when it fell due. Finally the statute of limitations ran against the note. Two years ago Brandon was in a position to pay the note, but it could not be found. He went to the Union Trust Company, the trustee of the Barron estate, several times with \$800 but it was refused on the ground that there was nothing to show that he was in debt to the estate and therefore nothing to receipt for.

"But I know I gave a note for \$800 and got the money, and now want to pay it back," repeatedly remarked Brandon. "See if Antonio Borel, a former executor of the estate, has not got the note."

Borel was appealed to but he knew nothing of such a note. Yesterday it was found among some of Borel's old papers and sent to the Union Trust Company. By a coincidence it reached the latter's place on Montgomery street just as Brandon put in an appearance for the fourth or fifth time in two years with the \$800 he said he owed the Barron people. This time his money was accepted and Mr. Brandon went off in a happy and contented frame of mind with his long-overdue and outlawed cancelled note.

Colonel George Macfarlane, who has been in London for about two years representing large San Francisco and Hawaiian sugar interests, is in town for a short visit. Colonel Macfarlane was for years chamberlain to the late King Kalakaua and for the latter's little kingdom negotiated in London its first and only European loan. It amounted to two million dollars and was contracted as a sequel to Kalakaua's quarrel with the late Claus Spreckels. Macfarlane is the only man living now who was in official life in Hawaii when the quarrel occurred. At that time the government owed Spreckels \$1,200,000, of which \$700,000 was an open account and the rest in bonds. He was promptly paid off with part of the London loan much to his surprise and disappointment, for in his anger he wanted as a creditor to embarrass the king. Mr. Spreckels later on regretted his dispute with Kalakaua and it was through Colonel Macfarlane that the two men were brought together again as friends. On the king's death, Spreckels was one of the sincere mourners at his bier. The San Franciscans who tried to get a monopoly of the wharves of Honolulu through the influence of Spreckels were mainly responsible for the bitter quarrel between the latter and the king. Spreckels' lack of tact and insistent demands on the king made the matter all the worse. It was a dramatic incident when Kalakaua left a dance at a private house because of a remark made by Spreckels. But all those things were forgotten in their restored friendship. Some day this quarrel will make an interesting chapter in a life of the dignified, fair-minded, Chesterfieldian King Kalakaua, the last in the male line of the Kamehamehas.

Since Ambassador and Mrs. James Bryce were on the coast, their well known vegetarian predilections have assisted in hastening the growth of a large vegetarian cult in society circles. Quite a number in the Burlingame set are now eschewing meat. However, even before that the use of meat had been growing beautifully less. At first the doctors arrayed themselves against the use of butchers' meat by gouty people; and as gout is pre-eminently a disease affecting society, red meat has been less and less popular at dinner functions—always, of course, excepting wild ducks. Then people began to think about the practice; and when you begin to think about it, it does seem uncommonly near to cannibalism, does it not, to fatten and kill big oxen and other beasts to eat—to feed on their dead flesh? And then, when you listen to the wise ones and see through their lenses a piece of more-or-less fresh meat that you consume daily, and realize that you are sharing in what ever taint—ante-mortem or post-mortem—the beast may have carried in its blood—well, somehow your all-devouring appetite suddenly weakens and you realize that rice and potatoes and asparagus are really good enough for the citizen; civilization is trying to make of us, i. e., the saint that is yearning for peace and good will to all men.

Some men spend their money; others have it taken away from them. Baron J. H. von Schroeder of Hotel Rafael fame belongs to the latter class. In his personal expenses the Baron has German thrift and economy. In business he has been unfortunate and has lost much of his own money, which was not large, and that of his wife, which was considerable. Their properties are pretty well plastered with mortgages, so it is a timely windfall that is coming to him in the Fatherland through the death of his father, the Baron Charles von Schroeder. The fortune will be not less than \$3,000,000 and most of it is in landed estates which produce a good yearly income. His father was 83. There is an uncle of the Baron after whom he was named, the Baron J. J. von Schroeder, who is a rich London banker. He is 80, and it is said the titled nephew here is aware of the fact that he is named in the uncle's will in a very substantial manner. That is a fortune in prospect. Since his marriage about twenty-five years ago to Miss Donahue of this city, the Baron up to the time of the father's death received from him over \$300,000. His wife's fortune from her father, the late Peter Donahue, was over a

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million dollars. During the Klondike excitement Baron von Schroeder sought to establish a steamboat line between St. Michaels and Dawson on the Yukon and had boats built at Portland, Ore. He failed in that enterprise after investing about \$400,000. This was one of a number of costly schemes in which he failed and which made sad inroads into his and his wife's bank accounts. The Baron's son, J. H. von Schroeder the third, is with his granduncle in London, who is preparing him for a banking career in the world's metropolis.

The litigation over Adolph Sutro's will in the Supreme Court presents two interesting features. Dr. Emma L. Merritt, the oldest of his six children, is willing to lose half a million dollars if the provisions of the will can be carried out as her father intended. That is why she has petitioned that august tribunal to rehear the case. The court recently held that the trust clause in the will was invalid. This decision releases 1200 acres of land in some of the best sections of the city and county, and easily valued at three millions of dollars, for equal distribution among the children. Mrs. Merritt's two brothers and three sisters are very anxious for a distribution. The sisters are Mrs. Edna English, the wife of a Chicago attorney; Mrs. Kate Nussbaum, the wife of a German professor at Bonn, and Mrs. Rose Morbio of Berkeley, the wife of an Oakland banker. The trust in the Sutro will is for charity. In the Fair will the trust was for private purposes. In the latter case the Supreme Court held that under the constitution of California a trust for private purposes is invalid. In the Sutro case it holds that a trust for charitable purposes is valid under the constitution, but it must be plain and explicit, so as to leave no option on the part of executors. The indefiniteness of the Sutro trust clause in the opinion of the court invalidates it. If the court does not reverse itself the distribution of the 1200 acres of land will mean much for the western and southwestern sections of the city in the way of quick development and new electric roads.

I hear that Mrs. Walter Hobart and her children are comfortably located for the summer at Bolinas and that Wilberforce Williams, her brother, and Mrs. Lillie, her sister, are seeing to it that she is not annoyed by her husband or some of his misguided friends. While purposely separating herself and the children from him for a time, it is said to be the intention of Mrs. Hobart to return to her husband in the fall, if in the meantime he shows an earnest intention to lead a domestic life and eschew his penchant for sensational automobile rides with older women, even if they do mingle in the Burlingame circle. The Baldwins of Colorado and the Lesters are in hearty sympathy with Mrs. Hobart. Mrs. Baldwin, who is in feeble health in the Centennial state, is a sister of Hobart's; so is Mrs. Lester. It is said they have remonstrated in no uncertain terms with their brother about his neglect of his wife and family and his random and careless method of conducting himself. The spirit of the wife in acting as she has done is generally admired by most of those in the Burlingame set. Mrs. Hobart is getting a good monthly allowance from the Hobart estate, which is owned by the husband and his two sisters. Even if he were disposed to curtail the allowance, his sisters would not sanction it. He has shown very good sense, his friends say, in not trying to do it.

Word came from Paris that Mamma Bruguere, who was a Sather of Oakland, is to do the proper thing in a financial way with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Emile A. Bruguere, nee Vesta Shortridge, and her child. The younger matron is on a month's vacation outing with her child in Tahiti, while her lawyer is attending to her divorce case at Salinas and trying to arrange a money settlement with her husband and his mother in France. Emile, the husband, recently joined his mother in the French capital for an indefinite stay with her. He invited himself, and like all indulgent mothers, Mrs. Bruguere yielded to the inevitable. Just what kind of a settlement the mother-in-law will make is not known, except it is whispered it will be in the form of a monthly allowance, provided the divorce proceedings are not made sensational. It is also provided that the monthly allowance shall cease whenever the young matron gets a new husband. The mother-in-law is amply able to make a good money settlement, and it is just such a thing as Emile Bruguere's wife and child are in need of. The divorce will no doubt be perfected within the next month or two.

The mint is about to issue a new style of penny. It is to be a penny bearing the martyred Lincoln's head, and several bankers say there is already much inquiry about it, showing the undying popularity of old Abe Lincoln. It will be the first time that any coin has been issued by our government bearing the head of a famous American. The mint officials think they will probably not be issued before August. They, like the bankers, state there is going to be a big demand for them for awhile at least. Money brokers and children of school are, they say, asking when the coins will be placed in circulation.

Mrs. Major John B. Darling, one of San Francisco's active society leaders a number of years ago, and the eldest of the heirs of the famous S. C. Hastings estate, is just at present doing considerable entertaining. The air of the city and state feels free and inviting to her now where not long ago she was afraid to come into California for fear of a legal battle with her daughter, Mrs. L. G. Maud. They have patched up a peace by Mrs. Darling giving Mrs. Maud a home to live in somewhere in the Napa valley, together with a monthly allowance. On her part the daughter has given up all thought of a battle in the courts to break the Hastings estate, and of seeking to force her mother to give an

accounting of the \$1000 a month Probate Judge Coffey allows her as guardian of her sister, Miss Ella Hastings. Mrs. Major Darling is also at peace with her sister, Mrs. Onativia. Mrs. Maud's second husband is known to fame, especially around Del Monte, as a golf player. Mrs. Darling, the mother, has in her second husband—the first one was Catherwood—a retired army officer who is a dilettante in song and verse writing. Big Bill Lange's father-in-law has managed the Hastings estate for Mrs. Darling and the other heirs ever since Judge Hastings died years ago, and it is through his ability and diplomacy that the estate is very strong and intact today in spite of the great damage during the big fire.

By the way, Harry Jerome, who made a scene at the recent opening dinner at the new Cliff House by interrupting an oratorical flight of Samuel M. Shortridge, was once a brother-in-law of Mrs. Major Darling. He was the first husband of Mrs. Onativia. Jerome was once a purser on the Pacific Mail liner China, and at the same time was a member of the Pacific Union Club. He got into both places through New York family influence. As purser of the China he was very disrespectful to the marine reporters of the daily papers. They repeatedly printed "roasts" of him. These he used to point out to members of the Pacific Union Club to show what he considered a gentleman's contempt for the press. When he was promoted to be purser of the Korea, the reporters took another tack. They praised his appointment, saying that the appointment to the swell, new liner, was undoubtedly owing to the fact that as a member of the Pacific Union Club he knew how prominent and wealthy people's beds should be made up and what should be ordered for their meals. They dwelt on his salary of \$150 a month and speculated on how he could maintain himself in club life and general living on that sum. They then proceeded to solve the riddle of his existence by asserting that he used to spend his \$150 a month on club dues and expenses and managed to live elsewhere on his tips as purser. This was too much for Jerome. He liked the abuse better than that kind of praise. He sent for the press representatives and made his peace. They got along swimmingly thereafter until Jerome got out of the service.

The Rev. Robert Mackenzie, the dapper little Scotchman and Presbyterian pulpit orator, formerly of Oakland and this city and more recently of New York, is to have a church in Sausalito. The reverend gentleman is a brainy Scot, who for exercise and as a pastime years ago took up carpentry. He has been a long while at it and unquestionably is today one of the best amateur carpenters and cabinet-makers in the country. Eight or ten years ago while living in the western addition he wanted some cabinet work improvements made in the library of his residence. Some wealthy friends in his First Presbyterian church on Van Ness avenue and Sacramento street wanted to have the work done as a gift to him. He told them no, and did the work himself in odd hours during the course of a month or two. When it was done he showed it to them with pardonable pride, for it had the appearance and finish of the work of an experienced and professed workman. On another occasion he did not stop short of constructing a garden fence and gate and passing journeymen carpenters saw the doughty little fellow in old clothes working away with saw, hammer and nails and did not doubt for a moment but what he was of their class. This piece of work was not disappointing in that regard, either.

Tom McKay of toothpick physique, with enough trunks and diamonds to make a star actress jealous, and easily holding his own at 71, is here again from the Orient to consult with his superiors of the Pacific Mail and the Harriman railroad system, for he is their passenger representative for all of the Orient and Australasia. He is the highest priced passenger man in that part of the world, and is considered a remarkable man in his line of work by men like Stubbs, Harriman and Schwerin. The \$700 diamond he wears in his cravat he reports has been stolen from him on three different occasions and he has paid in rewards twice its value in getting it back. In a dozen scrap books he has personal notes on the cards of hundreds of prominent and titled people all over the world that he has met and handled for them their transportation. Not long ago the King of Siam offered to get him a wife if he would come to that country to live. It was with much tact that McKay got out of a delicate position without giving offense to the potentate of Siam. Years ago McKay was one of the first "peanut butchers" in this country. It was on the Burlington road in its early history. Clinton Jones, the retired and wealthy Rock Island railroad agent of this city, did that same stunt with McKay.

The latest innovation in big hotels like the St. Francis and Fairmont is the "complaint spotter." Up-to-date managers want to be continually pleasing their guests and the new kind of spotter is a means to that end. These spotters are of both sexes and are chosen because of their address, acquaintanceship and tact. The spotter gets his board and a substantial bonus besides and nobody knows he is working. He just seems to fool around, usually dressed up in good style and looking the picture of luxuriant indolence. He or she featurizes with the guests, and by clever conversation and adroit questioning finds out what, if anything, they dislike about the hotel. These dislikes, if within the bounds of reasons, are remedied just as soon as the spotter reports them to the management. A good many guests find things they object to and do not go to the office with their complaints. They prefer to do their knocking among themselves. That's where the spotter gets in his work. As if by magic the things the sorehead complains about are remedied, and he thinks the manager is indeed a wise man to notice the same things

wrong that he noticed himself. In that way he comes to feel greatly pleased not only with the hotel but with his own perspicacity. And he becomes a booster about the hotel instead of a knocker.

Lotta, the famous actress, now living in retirement, who first won fame and fortune in San Francisco and whose gift to the city, Lotta's Fountain, is still to be seen at the junction of Geary, Kearny and Market streets, has been writing to old, cherished friends here. Miss Crabtree, she is a spinster, and that is her name in private life, retired from the stage with a fortune and spends her winters in New York and her summers in a fine country home in New Jersey. Some of the property she owns is in this state, particularly in Marin county. She and her mother, as her financial manager for many years, were very thrifty, and that is why Lotta is rated at over a million today. But nobody begrudges her the fortune she has or ever did so. She gave the country one of the most popular theatrical entertainments it has ever known. She writes of her dogs and horses and of her love for music, painting and little children. It is said years have made gut little inroads on her looks and none on her disposition. She is as happy as a lark and loves her obscurity. She has always maintained that the stage is the most elevating of all professions and that no girl with a sound mind and a good heart need come to harm or lose her womanly qualities by following it. Some may answer that Lotta played in other days and that the theater wasn't then as it is now.

Sight should not be lost of the fact that in June last in the matter of building contracts San Francisco ranked fourth out of eighty-seven cities of the United States. New York, Chicago and Philadelphia exceeded this city in the order named. San Francisco in that month had \$2,828,849 of raw building contracts, an increase of 20 per cent over the same month of 1908. This was about \$30,000 more than the combined showing of Seattle and Los Angeles with all their boasted building activity. It also exceeded by about \$41,000 the combined figures during the same month of Portland, Spokane, Salt Lake and Tacoma. So of all the coast cities San Francisco easily takes the first place. Seattle is second with \$1,656,425 of new building contracts and Los Angeles third with contracts valued at \$1,148,418.

The Bohemian Club has succeeded the Union League as the noonday clearing house for political gossip. The large reception and dining-rooms of the club permit of the assembling of men of the various party factions without friction or clash and here views relative to the various schemes of statecraft, as it is played in California, are exchanged daily. Among those who may be seen assembled on the neutral ground this club affords, almost daily are General Tiley L. Ford, Thornwell Mullally, James D. Phelan, John C. Lynch, George A. Knight, Henry C. Dibble, Joe Campbell, John F. Davis, Frank Drew, Rudolph Spreckels and Francis J. Heney, when the latter is in town. While some of these have been sent to Coventry by a majority of the club members all factions and elements seem to find here an open field for the exchange of political views and the suggestion is now frequently heard: "Let's go to the Bohemian Club and find what is doing in politics."

The bitter personal controversy between P. H. McCarthy and John E. McDougald which has been waged in the circles of organized labor and politics for the past six years has broken out afresh. McCarthy is president of the Building Trades Council, and for many years McDougald has been treasurer of that organization. McCarthy claims that two years ago McDougald and the latter's friends sought to defeat him for Mayor.

Recently, when the Supreme Court decided that non-partisan nominations could not be made by the various political organizations for primary purposes, McDougald was debarred from a place on the Union Labor party ticket, he being a Republican. Instead of leaving a blank space after that office on the Labor ticket, in the interest of McDougald for treasurer, as was done in relation to some other offices, the Labor Committee nominated H. M. Alexander for that office.

A little later McCarthy had McDougald legislated out of the office of treasurer of the council which he had held so long. The little joker was found in an amendment to the constitution consolidating the office of treasurer and financial secretary at a salary of \$30 a month for the combined service. As McDougald is not a skilled penman he was obliged to withdraw from the contest for treasurer on the announced ground that it would not pay him to occupy the joint office for the salary of \$30. In this way McCarthy scored once more on his old-time adversary.

McCarthy is still militant and McDougald's friends are urging the latter to take up the gage of battle in this campaign. While McCarthy undoubtedly controls the Central Council of the Building Trades McDougald has many friends and supporters in the trades generally. But the City Treasurer is slow to anger, although he may be mighty in his wrath. He is inclined to temporize.

The McDougald temperament was well illustrated some years ago when he was a member of both the Kelly and Crimmins and the Chute, Conroy and McCord county committees. Although these bodies represented bitterly contending factions, McDougald attended the meetings of both, so nicely dividing his allegiance that one week he went to the Crimmins meeting first, and the next week conferring the honor of his presence on the Chute-Conroy body early in the evening and going over to the Crimmins faction later. This political adroitness of McDougald caused him to be dubbed the "Missing Link" in that campaign.

The recent public revival of the ambition of Colonel

George H. Pippey for the appointment of Ambassador to Mexico has set people to talking about the probability of this gallant soldier succeeding to this important portfolio.

The name of Colonel Pippey was first mentioned in this connection by him-self about four years ago. At that time Vice-President Corral of Mexico paid a visit to San Francisco and was put up at the Union League Club, where he was entertained and made much of. Pippey was president of the Union League during Corral's visit and developed into a candidate for Ambassador to Mexico. Corral had been selected by President Diaz to go into training, so to speak, for the succession to the Presidency of the Republic of Mexico, but I am told that the then existing relations between Diaz and Corral have somewhat changed and he latter is no longer regarded as in the line of succession.

Colonel Pippey visited Mexico as the guest of Vice-President Corral on the latter's return and was made much of. Pippey was entertained as a guest at the Jockey Club, in the City of Mexico, which is regarded as the swell club of the southern republic. It is said that in the Jockey Club Colonel Pippey assumed that he was to be the United States Ambassador to Mexico and it was accepted by some of the leading members of that aristocratic body that the Colonel knew whereof he was blaviating.

But President Roosevelt differed with Colonel Pippey and appointed David E. Thompson of Nebraska to the Mexican portfolio, recalling the latter from his post as Ambassador to Brazil for that purpose. Thompson had made several million dollars in railroad enterprises in Nebraska and was one of the large contributors to the McKinley campaign fund, he having given his check for \$250,000 to help the Republican cause in that canvass. In Mexico Thompson, by reason of his wealth, maintained an almost palatial private residence at which he entertained most lavishly, his monthly receptions being said to surpass all similar functions had in that republic. The Legation House maintained by Ambassador Thompson in the City of Mexico is said to have been such as to reflect credit on the United States, and in fact would have been such as to reflect credit on any government.

The salary of the United States Ambassador to Mexico is \$17,500 a year (gold), which, in Mexico means just two for one because of the relative value of the Mexican dollar, which is used in defraying all official and private expenses of the Ambassador. With the inauguration of President Taft, Ambassador Thompson, as is the custom of members of the diplomatic and consular service, tendered his resignation to the incoming President, and also returned to the United States, which latter course is construed to mean that he expects that his successor will be appointed.

Some idea of the importance of the post to which Colonel Pippey aspires may be gained from the facts that there are 45,000 Americans in Mexico, 6,000 being in the City of Mexico alone. There are \$800,000,000 of American gold invested in mining, railway and other industries of this republic and the annual business between the United States and Mexico has advanced in a few years from a comparatively small total of a few hundred thousand dollars to approximately \$100,000,000.

Should Pippey transfer his business from San Francisco to the City of Mexico, of course California's loss would be the Southern Republic's gain. This recalls a story of Pippey's Japanese house servant. One morning the Oriental complained to his employer, in language both profane and forceful, that the milk man was delivering milk that was not fit to drink. The milk was being supplied by Pippey himself and notwithstanding the kick of Fusho Do there was no change in the purveyor of the fluid to the Colonel's household.

David J. Grauman, the theatrical man who is also a candidate for the Republican nomination for Mayor, has promised the sporting element a wide-open town in the event of his election. As a proof of good faith the supporters of this aspirant for political preferment announce in advance that his Board of Police Commissioners will comprise Zeke Abrams (President), Eddie Graney, Jas. Coffroth and Cocky O'Brien. Every cigar store is to be permitted to have a roulette wheel inlaid in the counter. Nickel-in-the-slot machines are to be reinstated and all the good things dear to the heart of the Tenderloin habitue are to have full swing.

The ushers at Grauman's theater are the principal feature of that place of amusement nowadays. No sooner is the picture of their employer candidate for Mayor thrown upon the curtain than all the ushers who have been stationed at different points in the house applaud lustily and both the audience and Grauman are delighted with the spontaneous demonstration in support of his candidacy. People are now going to the National as much to witness the spectacle of the ushers applauding Grauman's picture as to see the play.

But Grauman is actively campaigning, notwithstanding there is a rumor that he will withdraw in favor of Crocker for Mayor. This suggestion has attracted attention to the fact that the new primary law provides no method for the withdrawal of a candidate, but it is fair to presume that he has that right at any time prior to the primary election, as he is not prohibited from doing so. The law does, however, require the candidate to make affidavit "that if nominated he will accept such nomination and not withdraw, and that he will qualify as such officer if nominated and elected."

If Grauman or other candidates for nomination at the primary do not wish to go on that ballot they will have to get a move on with their resignations or withdrawals, as the ballots are in the hands of the printer and the sample tickets will soon be mailed to the voters.

THE KNAVE

Polly Pry AND THE SMART SET



MISS MARJORIE DEETKEN.

—Scharz Photo.

MRS. WILLIAM DALLAS.

—Bushnell Photo.

By POLLY PRY.

HERE is a big scream in Berkeley since the papers announced that the Arbiters placed the ban of disapproval on Maude Adams' "Joan of Arc."

You know, we never did take Billy very seriously in spite of his pose Shakespearean and whiskers classic. Billy's moods are fickle as the wind and of as varying temperature. Sometimes they blow furnace hot when scandal tapers with his fair reputation and placards him with a scot smudged affairs du coeur. Oh, assy Grady!

Or cold as an east wind when collegiate propriety is martyr at the stake. (Reference Maude Adams and blush pink fleshings, with special emphasis on "blush.") Really, William, as a lighting change artist, you have every other vaudevilian looking like a procrustean snail. You beautiful chameleon! Yours should have been the glory of the female sex. We would have named you Dian, huntress of variegated game—a slip of the pencil—I meant fame. But you must 'fess up, your last two wind storms are enough to center the present cyclone of mirth at your expense. First you give us a skit that makes Romeo's passion seem frail as a moon beam; then swift as electricity a Hamlet with edicts chill as Muir glacier. Now, candid, your little stunts don't savor of the entente cordiale; you're making our idol Billikin Janus-faced. Oh, woe is us. Pause while I brush away a tear. You've given us ten thousand volts. Why, Billy, Billy, we always thought you liked life with a stick in it! But the nectar highball has you now, that's an easy clinch. Believe me, Billikin or Faistaf were never half so funny. Age cannot wither nor custom stale your infinite variety.

But why, why, why? Come tell us, do! Why this latest tangent? But Billy will speak, of course. Sphinx? Not on your sheepskin! Billy's mouth is as open as a river. Is it because your august president likes his faculty men many-sided? Maybe it's to expiate your earlier day frivolities. Yes! No! Is it because you think us like Paris, "short on morals and long on Hageria," and are afraid that certain Maude Adams in tight might prove a solar plexus to our wobbly unmorality? Or do you wish to give us the culture accent 'ral? Or, entre nous, do you think our charming Maude of fatty proportions inadequate? You ought to know. You've seen her, as L'Anglin, in near-tights in "your own" theater.

Dilettante? Or have you been coerced? But no, Wheeler never has been known to interfere! Intellectual veridigris? Really, Billikin, you must

up with the reason. My appetite's as keen as an eat-'em-alive man's.

But never mind, you are a brave Billy, just the same, one to inspire Nell Brinkley to just the cutest skotch and most charming sizzle. To stand brave as Napoleon at Austerlitz. Ah-h-h! And in the very face of Harvard's army of approval. Oh-h-h!

And to refuse an invitation that hasn't even been asked nor is ever likely to be asked, with its Titanic tasks and thousand and more super-numeraries. And to the very Alpha of the dramatic "who's who" Go to! Go to! Ward McAllister is screeching in ethereal blues.

But one thing, Billikin, you've done for sure. You have, for a verity, rendered us invulnerable. The electric chair couldn't give us the slightest thrill. We are prepared on our next visit to your university's art gallery to behold "Ariadne" in pajamas, "Emancipation" in clinging "nightie," or yourself in Joseph's coat of many colors. With deferential apologies to your beloved Shakespeare, I'm moved to think the shock is the thing.

No, we can't have Schiller's masterpiece, nor the inspiring "Maid of Domremy."

MME. LANEL BACK FROM PARIS.

Madame Etienne Lanel is with us again. That surely should prove an elixir for the somnolent summer end season. Mme. Lanel is fresh from Parisian and New York social triumphs and not a whit less fair than when as Amy McKee the social druidess of the press were wont to deck her name with all manner of flattering verbiage. Hers was a beauty to make a Titan rave; clear cut and pale as a cameo and with hair gold gilded as a sunset sky.

She isn't the regulation, trumped-up beauty of the social world; she is a bona fide one, all right. Not in her first bloom, to be sure, but still flower fair enough to make the plainer sisters of her set straighten their vertebrae and have a look. You see, Amy must be, well — but never mind. A woman's as old as she looks. Ergo, our lovely Amy is young, for she can still stand the test of garish day.

Her capture of the little French diplomat was a nine days' wonder. To say society was flabbergasted is to put it mildly. There were so many scheming mammas with charming daughters, when the charming Frenchman graced our Country Club jamboree there wasn't an unattached daughter of us that didn't make a dead set for him the while the patrician Amy enjoyed from afar. But the trained eye of the connoisseur singled her out and we wore mourning bands upon our hearts for many a long day. You know we simply dote on flouts and diplomats. My, but we had an

awful slump in self-esteem when we heard that he had picked the peerless Amy for her perfect poise and innate refinement.

I suppose, by comparison, the rest of us sounded as noise as a Chinese orchestra. We'll promise the next diplomat that comes our way the soft pedal.

But the thought that is animating my present moment mind is whether a certain wealthy benedict who worshipped her so long at respectful distance is feeling any strange thrills in the upper left part of his anatomy upon beholding her divinity again, and how much sentiment is being revived in the heart of a Berkeley professor who made so many futile efforts to slide to home base? I'm just wondering. Aren't you?

SOMETHING ABOUT THE MERRY ELKS.

The Elks' visit to Los Angeles is giving its usual aftermath of tales.

A prominent Elk, lately returned from the glorious jollification, was telling the other evening of what he, with more generosity than truth, termed the lapsus linguae of a very prominent lady of our locality. Her name? No, I'm not going to tell. For every mother's son and daughter of us is as sensitive as mimosa when it comes to an exposure of our ignorance or dingy past. But, like love and cough, they'll out at the most untoward moments.

While watching the night parade, with its splendid electric embellishments, the lady was moved to most laudable enthusiasm. As the Chinese dragon passed she cried with ecstatic delight, "Oh, just see that Chinese Dragon spitting fire!"

As the lady in question holds the undisputed championship for Malapropisms, this latest solecism is taken indulgently. She hasn't any more regard for King's English than a butcher's cleaver for soring lamb.

Not long ago at one of the season's card parties, when the subject of race suicide came up, as it inevitably does at so many of our afternoon affairs, this modern Malaprop declared "that it was just too sad, this having babies, it was really so demoralizing." Did I hear Teddy groan?

It was only during the passing week that I myself heard her expatiating at great length about her recent trip to the Angel City and raving over "that adorable place, Venus."

ADVENTURES OF AN OLD ROUE.

The latest adventures of a certain old roue, who flourishes on a wealthy wife's indulgence and who for the past few years has pestered so many of the young buds of our city with his lascivious ogles and insolent advances, are being told in clubdom with a great deal of damning and laughter.

Not long ago he was coming into town on a Broadway car, done in the dullest apparel of the season. Near him was seated a very pretty young girl. She was not a day over 18. Perhaps she was a day less. He turned to her with a great flourish of Chesterfieldian manners and asked for some street direction. The girl, being a stranger in our city, was unable to give him the information. But he kept up his volley of questions, discovering at last the destination of her day's trip. She was going to San Francisco. So was he. The girl was covered with evident confusion at his insistent attentions.

But, probably never before having met a masquer of such rare exotic type, she patronized him as she might a tottering old grandfather. He stayed closed to her as her shadow. So did the detective who happened to be on the same car. He saw the licentious old fossil pass her his card and at the depot heard him insist on buying her ticket to San Francisco. As he went to the window the detective stepped up to the young girl and asked if she knew her companion. She answered him negatively and passed him the card she had received. On it was fictitiously engraved "Col. Blank, U. S. Senator from Kentucky." The detective accosted the local Chevrolet and told him a few things in undecorated American. With the detective tracking his footsteps to the other side, it is needless to state that he gave the girl no further trouble.

A week later however, he tried his assidue blandishments on another of our young ladies as she was about to board a San Francisco car at the ferry. Being a native product and well-versed in methods of rebuff, she immediately repulsed him.

A few nights later she happened to be crossing the bay Oaklandward on a Key Route boat in company with two young gentlemen friends. The stilly old coder was also aboard. She pointed him out and one of the young men belabored him to the tune of two black eyes and six dozen sore spots. As the train neared the Twenty-second-street terminal he passed the party, and, being somewhat deep in his cups, hiccupped some insolent remark. The irate men rushed at him, picked him up bodily and dropped him over the side of the car just as it was pulling in at the station. When he picked himself up he looked seedier than a rooster in a three-day rainstorm.

One would have thought that such impressive chastisement might have been enough to cool the ardor of a Don Juan, but our grizzled old sport bobbed up as serenely as a cork on a summer pool.

Last week, while taking his dandy strut down Broadway, after having driven his wife through the hills and backwoods, he stopped up to a charming lady and tried to beguile her into flirtation. But before he had gotten three sentences on his way a stalwart bluecoat happened along.

The lady signaled him, and the last

seen or heard of the old dandy he was expostulating vociferously as he journeyed in the patrol wagon to the City Hall.

The bets are about even as to whether or not this third and last cell will prove efficacious.

POLLY PRY.

SOCIETY

What a blessing, indeed, from a social point of view, has it been this past week to have among us the charming visitors from afar. For they have aroused in us a spirit of hospitality that is ever present in the true Californian. But for these, our guests, we might perhaps have been socially asleep. Some of the people whom we know and loved years ago and have not seen for ever so long have come back to spend a few short weeks among the Oakland friends and many pleasant attentions have been showered upon the visitors and they in turn have been so appreciative and so interesting that we have felt that the "pleasure was all ours."

Mrs. J. Lockwood of New York, whom Oaklanders knew some few years ago as Miss Rose Dineen, has been the motif of several gatherings. On Thursday last Mrs. H. M. Hastings, assisted by Mrs. William Greenhagen, gave a large tea for Mrs. Lockwood, asking many of her old-time friends to meet her.

Yesterday at the Claremont Country Club Mrs. Timothy L. Barker presided at an elaborate luncheon, which was enjoyed by a score of friends. After the luncheon there was the ever-fascinating game of bridge. Today Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Card will give a dinner at their estate Vernon Heights to home in compliment to the same fair guest.

Mrs. J. R. Farrell was another hostess covering at an enjoyable luncheon with the recently arrived guests. The affair brought together a group of the most interesting and charming of our friends.

The Misses Blanche and Grace Kunkin of Chicago, but former residents of this city, have been very extensively this past week. One of the most charming affairs for them was a luncheon presided over by Mrs. Arnold Neidham. This affair brought together a group of the most interesting and charming of our friends.

A young matron, a most fascinating young matron, by the way, who has been shown many pretty social attentions of late, is Mrs. James Gleason, who has been spending the past few weeks with relatives about the bay. For her there have been bridge parties, luncheons, matinee parties, teas, in fact so many delightful things have been done that one can scarcely keep count of them all.

Today there is to be a dinner party for her and for Mrs. Emmett Seymour, with Mrs. Daniel Webster dispensing hospitality. On Monday Mrs. W. A. Schrook will give a large affair for Mrs. Gleason and Mrs. Seymour. Mrs. Schrook's delightful things have been done that one can scarcely keep count of them all.

Mrs. Harry Hook will be a dinner hostess on Tuesday for the same sweet matron and so the days before her departure for New York are to be crowded with a full of happy times.

FOR EASTERN GUEST. Mrs. J. O. Rinscher was hostess last evening at an enjoyable reception given in honor of Miss Carolyn Sheppard, a charming Eastern girl, who is visiting in Oakland. Among those invited to share the pleasures of the evening were Mrs. C. R. Goodman, Miss T. Enbille, Miss L. Wetherill, Miss Winifred Phelps, Miss Ruth Dearborn, Miss Estelle Snow, Miss Ina Linn, Miss Ada Haxlen, Morrison Park, Earl Lane, J. C. Jackson, W. L. Wetherill, Ralph Goodman, George Goodman, Dr. C. E. Pickett, and several others.

FOR A FAIR GUEST. It was a most disappointing time to the many friends of Mrs. John T. Trencher that he should be taken ill and so have one of these marriages has been a fairly dull all social attentions this past week. The luncheon planned by Miss

Helen Allen and the large tea for last Thursday both had to be set aside. Now, however, the popular little matron has recovered and will be able to enjoy the society of her friends. Tomorrow Miss Rose and Miss Ruth Kales will entertain a few of the Lakeside set at an informal afternoon at bridge in honor of Mrs. Trencher.

Mrs. Coghill's tea, which was postponed, will be the social event of Thursday next and will call forth many intimate friends of the guest of honor, who was so popular a few seasons ago, when as Rosale Coghill she was one of Oakland's belles.

PICTURES TODAY. Mrs. William Dallas, a prominent social matron of Merced, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. William Henshaw of this city. Mrs. Dallas spends much of her time during the summer months motoring to the interesting near-by springs and watering places.

Miss Marjorie Deetken is a popular Alameda girl who has hosted last week at a large card party at the home of her mother, Mrs. H. B. Hobson.

OAKLAND APPRECIATED. An automobile party, which started from San Francisco on June 1 and arrived in New York city on July 12 and are now guests at the Hotel Astor.

The Californians arrived just in time for the opening of the theatrical gardens on the Astor-roof. This roof occupies over an acre of space and has most beautiful promenades, artistically decorated with palms, vines and with electric lights uniquely placed, and is the scene of many luncheons and dinners at which Californians visiting in the East are frequently guests.

Hot candles are not only a luxury but a necessity here, but here in Oakland where the climate is so delightful all the year round, their need is not felt.

Ever so many of the Easterners who come through here with the Elks have expressed themselves as being most favorably impressed with our climate and the hospitality of our people and have decided to return and take up their abode in Oakland.

A PLEASANT IMPRESSION. Girls nowadays are appreciating more and more the importance of possessing a sweet musical voice. The woman with the shrill, loud head tones or nasal twang is indeed rare among us. So many of our Oakland girls have sweet voices. An Eastern visitor this week said, "I have met a number of your local smart set at Del Monte and at Tahoe this summer and I do so admire the way they dress and carry themselves and their sweet manner of speech." What a good impression for that person to "carry home" let's hope no one will spoil it.

AT DEL MONTE. Del Monte is as ever one of the most attractive spots and many well-known Oaklanders are frequently guests at this ideal place. Next month there will be golf and tennis tournaments and it has been suggested that a bridge congress might be held at the same time as all of our crack golf and tennis players are devotees of the fascinating game. Luncheons and dinner parties are enjoyed and one has the opportunity to meet people from all over the world at Del Monte. The English guests go in for fishing, bathing and song walks in a most picturesque fashion, but the auto trip for our local set seems to possess the greatest charm.

INTERESTING ENGAGEMENTS. Ever so many of our California girls have been wooed and won by worthy fellows from Europe, and almost every one of these marriages has been a fairly dull all social attentions this past week. The luncheon planned by Miss

turn out badly have had but very little chance to talk. This week an engagement of interest to all of us about the bay was announced. The bride-to-be comes of a family identified with the early history of the state. She is Miss Nora Brewer of Burlingame, a cousin of Mrs. William Denman and related to the T. C. Van Ness and other prominent families who have made friends on this side of the bay as well as in San Francisco.

And the man who is to claim this attractive California girl as his bride is Edward L. Cudahy, son of Michael Cudahy of New York. He is immensely wealthy and in all respects a fine fellow.

Another engagement formally made public a few days ago was that of Miss Amber Morgan of Oakland and Walter Bernard Bailey of San Francisco. The bride-to-be is an interesting girl, intellectual and a very responsible position across the bay and as all of his relatives are in England it is very probable that the honeymoon of these young people may be taken in his native land.

ENTERTAINED BY FRIENDS. Mrs. Oliver H. Bowe and her daughter, Miss Audrey Bowe, have returned from a delightful visit in Santa Rosa, where they were guests of Rev. and Mrs. George T. Blum of the Episcopal parsonage. Several teas and musicales were given in honor of Mrs. Bowe and her daughter, who is one of Oakland's talented girls, a member of the Prelude Club and immensely popular.

Early next week Mrs. and Miss Deer will leave for San Antonio for a visit at the home of Mrs. J. L. Williams.

RETURN FROM TAHOE. Mrs. Frank Roller and Mrs. Charles Cole returned on Thursday evening from a pleasant outing at Lake Tahoe. They spent two weeks visiting all points of interest in the picturesque region.

RETURNS FROM BOSTON. On Wednesday last Mrs. A. Merrill Bowser returned from a delightful visit to Boston and vicinity.

Within a week or so Mrs. Bowser is planning to entertain at an elaborate reception at her home 2426 Prince street, Berkeley, in honor of her sister, Miss Florence Stoddard Bowser, who accompanied her from Boston and who will enjoy the hospitality of the attractive Prince street abode for several weeks before leaving for a trip to Seattle.

IN THE SIERRAS. Charles Dutton, not at among us not only as a pianist but as a hospitable entertainer, is at present in the Sierras, having toured the Yosemite with the Sierra Club and spent a most delightful time camping at Tuolumne Meadows. He expects to return about the eighth of August.

SKATING PARTY. A number of society people were out at Idora Park on Thursday evening enjoying a skating party followed by a delightful supper. Among those who attended were Mrs. E. C. Stone and her daughters, the Misses Harriett, Helen, Marion and Dorothy Stone, Mrs. William Johnson, Miss Josephine Johnson, Miss Dorothy Van Shilen, Miss Helen Henshaw, Mrs. W. S. Henshaw, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Kelley, Mrs. H. C. Cain, Miss C. E. Hawley, George Hawley, Mrs. J. Vainio, Mrs. A. Schilling, Miss Arline Johnson, Al Humphreys and Fritz Hinkley.

AT LAKE TAHOE. Among the well-known Oaklanders who have been noticed lately at Tahoe are Mrs. W. S. Henshaw, Miss Florence Henshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Barry Chickering, Mrs. Joseph R. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Kelley, Mrs. H. C. Cain, Miss C. E. Hawley, George Hawley, Mrs. J. Vainio, Mrs. A. Schilling, Miss Arline Johnson, Al Humphreys and Fritz Hinkley.

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The Dollar Mark in American Diplomacy

By JOSEPH E. BAKER

REPUBLICAN simplicity was fast disappearing from the diplomatic service of the United States when Taft became President.

His predecessor had filled nearly all the important diplomatic posts in Europe with men of large wealth who set an example of extravagant living and showy display strangely in contrast with the earlier ideals of the American republic. There was Whitelaw Reid at the court of St. James, Charlemagne Tower at the court of Berlin, George von L. Meyer at the court of Rome and Ambassador McCormick at the court of St. Petersburg.

All were men of vast wealth but mediocre talents in the field of diplomacy. All aped the manners and fashions of the old world aristocracy, maintained great establishments and a swarm of servants in livery more in keeping with the institutions of royalty than the traditions and usages of a democracy committed to free government and simple manners.

IT IS NOTEWORTHY THAT NONE OF THESE MEN TOOK HIGH RANK DIPLOMATICALLY OR ACHIEVED REPUTATION SAVE AS MONEY SPENDERS.

It is gratifying that Tower has been succeeded at Berlin by a far abler man of much smaller means, who eschews all vain show and maintains a plain establishment more in keeping with the simplicity of Republican institutions. Ambassador Meyer has been recalled from Italy to sit in the Cabinet as Postmaster-General, where he will be more of a figurehead than anything else.

WHITELAW REID IS STILL DAZZLING THE EYES OF THE VULGAR IN LONDON BY HIS BRILLIANT AND COSTLY ENTERTAINMENTS, ALTHOUGH HIS ACHIEVEMENTS AS A DIPLOMATIST COUNT FOR LITTLE.

He resides in a historic palace and spends \$300,000 a year, but, as William T. Stead says,

he has made no impression on the people of England. The attention he attracts is mainly due to the fact that he lives in a more sumptuous style than any other ambassador in the British capital and spends money with an amazing prodigality. He is distinguished chiefly because he is very wealthy, because his father-in-law, D. O. Mills, is one of the kings of American finance, and because his wife's sister is married to an English earl of ancient lineage.

In Berlin Ambassador Tower was reputed to spend \$200,000 a year.

His salary was \$17,000 a year. The splendor of his equipages and the luxurious state he maintained snatched of royalty. His munificence was almost his sole claim to celebrity. Neither at home nor abroad has he ever been recognized as a man of exceptional ability. He achieved no distinction in public life prior to his appointment to a foreign embassy. He owes his eminence to great riches, to his liberality in donating to campaign funds and to the social prominence given him by lavish entertaining and princely spending. He was such a "good thing" for the Berlin tradesmen that Kaiser William actually intrigued to prevent his being succeeded by a poorer man. The German Emperor either wanted Tower to remain at his post or to be succeeded by another man with millions to spend.

With this rise in ambassadorial state has come a decline in intellectual power and diplomatic talent.

When ability to spend and willingness to spend money became the chief claim American ambassadors could make for celebrity, real statesmanship and diplomatic talent were thrown into the background as negligible quantities. Millions and not men went to the front. Vulgar extravagance took the place of intellectual equipment, and the simple style befitting the representatives of a democratic nation was discarded for the tinsel and show of aristocracy and royalty. The departure from the rule of simplicity and eminent talent has been so radical and so sudden as to excite ap-

prehension at home and ridicule abroad.

A long line of distinguished public men represented the United States at the British court till an evil precedent was set by Grant in appointing John Welsh, a millionaire sugar refiner, to the London mission. That experiment proved so disastrous that it was not tried again till recently. But Mr. Welsh was not like Whitelaw Reid in the matter of spending money. While his riches gave him his appointment, and he failed to distinguish himself as a diplomatist, he lived in a style of quiet dignity in the British capital and did not strike a raw note by the ostentatious display of wealth.

He violated no traditions in his conduct, and in manners and official state worthily maintained the American standard of simplicity. Still Welsh fell far below the standard set by such men as Henry Clay, Chancellor Livingston, John Jay Rutledge, Charles Francis Adams, Reverdy Johnson, John Lathrop Motley, James Russell Lowell, Martin Van Buren and Thomas F. Bayard.

But with talents no more commanding than those of John Welsh, Whitelaw Reid has held the chief foreign mission of the United States for many years, and has done even more than Charlemagne Tower to set the seal of the dollar mark on American diplomacy. His splendid mansion—once the town house of one of the great noble houses of England—is the gathering place for all the snobs in London—a place given over to feasting and a display of style wholly at variance with American customs and institutions.

A change from the Whitelaw Reid state and the Whitelaw Reid standard of statesmanship is desirable. Brains rose above money when Ambassador White succeeded Charlemagne Tower at Berlin. A similar change in the London embassy would add to the dignity and prestige of our national representation abroad.

It would be a wholesome announcement that the dollar mark had been taken down from the door to diplomatic preferment.

PURELY PERSONAL

"I wasn't crazy," says Harry Thaw. Whereupon the question necessarily presents itself: If he wasn't crazy what was he?

While the new son of the Prince and Princess de Sagan has not been formally named, it's a clutch he won't be named Boni.

The new Live Stock Exchange skyscraper looks as if it ought to be big enough to hold all the live stock that may come to Kansas City from day to day.

"If reform comes it must be with the Democratic rank," says Mr. Bryan. And you must admit that there is plenty of room for reform in the Democratic ranks.

Dean Stanley used to tell this story. He sent a note to a shoemaker about a pair of shoes that were being made for him and the writing was so bad that the shoemaker couldn't make it out. So he returned the note to the dean, with a note of his own, saying that he was "unaccustomed to the crotchety of the higher classes."

The day was hot, says a Washington letter, and the Senate had sat for hours listening to Senator LaFollette of Wisconsin discuss the tariff. LaFollette, with his customary dramatic accomplishments, had worked himself into a lather of excitement and appeared to be upon the verge of a physical collapse. Cullum of Illinois leaned over to Frye of Maine and said: "Frye, just look at LaFollette. I believe he is going to faint."

"Cullum," responded the Maine senator, "every misfortune has its compensation. If LaFollette faints he will have to stop talking for a while at least."

Professor Max Muller told a good story of a young American lady visitor to Oxford. She was lost in admiration of the cloisters of Merton College, when suddenly a window opened somewhere above her head and a young man looked out.

"Oh, my!" cried the damsel. "Are these ruins inhabited?"

Americans' Hurry Mania

The business man who cannot travel except on "Twentieth Century" trains, who glories in every hour clipped from the running time of his Denver-to-Chicago special, who must "Hurry! Hurry!" in taxis even if the distance be but six blocks, who telegraphs because there is no time to write, who patronizes the fastest liners and between cruises on board the boat receives wireless messages, who must have a motor that runs at sixty miles an hour and who doubtless will have a Wright flying machine as soon as his order can be filled—is a victim of the "Hurry! Hurry!" craze. The trolley cars must make fast time to satisfy the public. The press trains must keep up their schedule to please their patrons. The automobile must possess speed, the driving horse must have a track record. The places of amusement must provide whirlwind entertainments. Marathon races of all kinds are in high favor. Fire departments must have reckless, breakneck runs to show their efficiency, even though a very large proportion of the fire calls may be false alarms. Ambulances and patrol wagons must be constantly responding to emergency calls, sometimes killing or maiming the public or possibly the already injured sufferers to whose aid they rush.

TIMELY TOPICS

The young King of Portugal took command of a regiment of dragoons lately, when it marched to the parade ground at Lisbon to receive a new stand of colors, and was a conspicuous figure among the kneeling officers during the ceremony which was performed by the priests. Describing the picturesque scene, a writer in a Paris paper says: "The boy king, Manuel, is unusually plump and never misses an opportunity to show this side of his character to his people. Since he has come to the throne the Church has received unusual attention and the people have become accustomed to the prominence of Church dignitaries at all functions, and they know that it is Manuel's desire that on all occasions where the people assemble the representatives of the Church should be conspicuous."

In order to raise the 20,000 francs necessary for the Johann Strauss memorial, to be erected in Vienna, a series of performances will be given at the Theater an der Wien, where nearly all the Waltz King's operas were performed for the first time. Members of the operatic companies and the various musical organizations of that city have volunteered their services, and the best seats for the first performance, which will be "The Gypsy Baron," have already been subscribed for. In commenting on the assured success a Vienna paper says that, visiting Americans have been the most liberal subscribers.

"The current number of 'Prometheus'—Berlin—contains a letter from Africa, in which the writer describes a fish which is known to the natives as the fahaka. It makes its appearance in the Nile at high water time. The creature might, properly be named a balloon fish. Its whole body, with the exception of a part of the under side, is covered with a thick layer of a jellylike substance. On the uncovered part there are many sharp prongs. When attacked the fish rises to the surface, inflates air until its body assumes almost a globular form, then turns upon its back, leaving the protruding prongs upward in the water. 'Fish and man alike know how sharp these are and what painful wounds they can inflict, and they give the balloon fish a wide berth.'"

Twenty Years Ago in Oakland

A. W. Pattison is on trial today before Judge Green and a jury charged with assault with a deadly weapon. He is alleged to have thrown a paper weight at H. G. Smith.

Grand President Ryan, N. S. G. W., has granted a charter to Halcyon Parlor and will install officers on Saturday evening. The property owners on Atlantic avenue and the Alameda Improvement Association have appointed a committee consisting of D. Hirschfeld, F. Dahmann, E. B. Mastick, Thomas A. Smith to formulate a plan for constructing the boulevard and determine the cost of filling in Atlantic avenue to a depth of four feet and a width of 100 feet.

The Alameda Water Company of Berkeley has obtained control of Strawberry creek and Wildcat creek and it is rumored that there is to be a new water company for Oakland. W. B. Farwell is at the head of the project.

The committee on rules and regulations of the Board of Education has set aside the investigation of the charges against J. B. McClellan and Mrs. K. B. Fisher because of the absence of witnesses. The instructors are accused of showing favoritism in awarding diplomas.

The Eight Hour League will meet at Forsters' Hall, in the Shattuck building, at Eighth and Broadway, tonight. H. C. Hinds, former president of the Federated Trades, will preside.

Sheriff Hale yesterday swore to a warrant charging John Curley, the boy who shot Albert Wadner at San Leandro, with murder.

T. F. Graber has applied to administrator upon the estate of Charles Krieder, deceased.

Mrs. James Gamble of this city died this morning at her summer home at Glen Ellen.

Mrs. R. H. Poole, mother of Mrs. Adah Wilson, who was stricken with apoplexy recently, died in San Francisco this afternoon.

Mrs. Prentiss Selby and Mrs. J. Palmer were thrown from a buggy on San Pablo avenue this morning and narrowly escaped death.

Mayor John R. Glasscock, who has charge of the estate of the late William H. Glasscock, has been notified by the health officer that the property must be put in a sanitary condition.

Officer Tom Downey has obtained judgment for \$800 he loaned Tom and Harry Sheehan when they opened up a wholesale liquor store on Twelfth street recently, together with \$43.20 interest.

The City Council will advertise for proposals for lighting the city temporarily, pending further investigation of the proposition to erect and maintain masts, poles and wires for electric lighting, now before that body.

Attorney M. C. Chapman has succeeded in serving Mrs. Mary Neer, formerly Mrs. Godfrey, with a summons in his suit to recover a \$2000 attorney's fee.

Reflections of a Bachelor

It takes a woman to learn from a man things that he doesn't know. When you wake up at daylight and can't get to sleep again it's a holly. One reason a boy can admire his father is the way he can cuss when he gets mad. What makes a girl sure she is playing good tennis is for her hair to stay nice. It takes only about ten minutes to find in others the faults we can't discover in ourselves in a lifetime.

The New French Cabinet.

Although M. Briand, who was invited by President Fallieres to organize a cabinet as the successor of Clemenceau, at first doubted his ability to do so, he has succeeded in the task. What is more to the point is, that while the Parisian newspapers are skeptical regarding the probabilities of the new cabinet remaining long in office, and the Socialists are dissatisfied with the presentation of the portfolios of the Ministers of War and Marine respectively to General Bruin and Admiral Boue de la Payere, the general impression among the people is favorable. The money interests are particularly gratified over the substitution of Georges Cochery for M. Caillaux as Minister of Finance, as Caillaux's draft of the income tax bill had made him unpopular with that element and the measure had aroused strong opposition in the Senate.

The new premier is comparatively a young man for so responsible a position, being only forty-seven years old. He started political life a strong advocate of socialistic ideas, but experience is said to have materially modified these views and he is now regarded generally as "an eloquent lawyer who has displaced a skillful parliamentarian."

Premier Briand is committed to the policies instituted and carried out by Clemenceau, which means an inflexible determination to continue the subordination of the Roman Catholic church to the state and an irreconcilable opposition to the toleration of the religious orders and their establishments. But he has added to the declaration of his course an intention to attempt to reconcile the differences between capital and labor on grounds of mutual benefit. His appointments of General Bruin and Admiral de la Payere to the war and marine offices have probably aroused the opposition of the Socialists through fear that they may be the means of reviving the old military cabal which ruled during the period of the Dreyfus agitation, but there has been so much scandal of late under a civilian administration of both branches of the national defense that it seemed necessary to place both under the control of experienced men and both of Briand's appointees have good records as army and navy officers.

The improvement clubs of Berkeley have started a commendable campaign to put the town in the best of order as regards the condition of its streets, embodying the relief of the streets of poles and overhead wires and placing the latter underground, extending the area of bitumen pavements, repairing sidewalks and general house-cleaning. For the carrying out of their program of adornment and sanitation the clubs will bring their influence to bear on the new municipal government to enlist its co-operation, which will doubtless be freely given.

British Rule in India.

The British government is evidently determined to deal with the seditious Indian movement with a mailed fist. The leader of the movement, Krishnavarma, editor and proprietor of the Indian Sociologist, which has been leading the propaganda "India for the Indians" and inciting the native inhabitants of India to rise up in arms against British rule in India, has been forced to seek refuge in Paris, whence he has continued to direct the policy of the Sociologist. The latest offense of that publication was to openly approve the murder of Sir William Hutt-Carson Wythe and Dr. Cawas Lalca, both of whom were connected with the India office, by Madaral Dhinagiri, an Indian student in one of the English universities, which resulted in the arrest of A. P. Hosley, the printer of the Sociologist, and the suppression of the paper. Hosley pleaded guilty Friday to the charge of publishing a seditious newspaper whose avowed object was to "support the Indian national movement for the liberation of India from oppressive alien rule by the use of physical force," and he was sentenced to four months' imprisonment. Dhinagiri was tried for the murders the same day. The trial lasted less than an hour. The prisoner listened to the testimony and made no defense, save by saying: "Whatever I did was an act of patriotism," which is another way of asserting that his offense was political, not criminal in the ordinary sense. It did not save him, however, from the sentence of death, which was pronounced by the Lord Chief Justice.

In the case of Dhinagiri it is a noteworthy fact that his own kin had endeavored to dissuade him from affiliating with the nationalist movement and had specially requested Sir William Wythe by letter to use his personal influence to induce him to abandon his disloyal associates, and that while he was interceding with Dhinagiri, he and Dr. Lalca, his companion, were shot down. But the expedition which the government has shown in dealing with these cases proves its determination to apply drastic measures to the Nationalist movement for its quick suppression. While the movement has gained ground in the Bengal province, the great mass of the native people of India recognize that since the charter of the East India Company was revoked and the government of the country has been carried on by the British crown through the Viceroy and the India Council the country has prospered as it never did under the rule of the native princes; that the public health has been improved; famine practically wiped out; the condition of the ryots bettered; all classes raised to a higher plane; education fostered; the law administered by native judges, and none but natives employed in any of the political departments of the empire, except in the executive positions.

The Seven Plagues of France

The more serious papers of Paris, such as the Soleil, the Figaro and the Gaulois, are always dwelling upon the perils that France is being hurried into by the wide spread of social decay. We are constantly being reminded of the principle laid down by all historians, from Herodotus to Ferrero, that no nation can stand the sapping ravages of moral corruption, and that in the whole history of Europe we see that it is the most moral nation, the most self-sacrificing, the soundest in heart and mind, which other things being equal, invariably comes off best in the struggle of war or peace. It is the dead body which calls down the eagles of destruction. This principle gives importance to the work of a Frenchman, who warns, is he does not pass sentence on, his mother country.

France is becoming decrepit, as she has been for years decadent, says Mr. Rene Lavallee. She is at present being devastated by seven mortal plagues, he writes in his book, "Les Plagues Nationales." She is weakened by religious infidelity, depopulation, immorality, alcoholism, materialism, antimilitarism, and political corruption. Of infidelity and its evil effects he writes:

"France has, in its national policy, abjured the Christian faith, of which it was so long the champion. This is plainly proved by the attitude of the government toward the church, and the whole tendency of recent legislation. With this loss of faith has followed the loss of many qualities which work for national fortitude and for the character upon which national virility is based. Military prestige has vanished, the navy is a wreck and does not now count as a serious factor in the plans of European cabinets, while the strained relations which have sprung up between the social orders have made the country an object of criticism and an example of warning to other nations."

Race suicide is another plague which is sapping the vitals of France. The writer quotes Mr. Foville, president of the last Congress of Social Economy, who compared the birth-rates of the different European countries, and remarked of France: "If this condition of things continues, in twenty years there will be two Germans for every Frenchman. If indeed France survives so long as a nation." The following figures are quoted in support of this contention: In the sixty years from 1840 to 1900 the population of Great Britain and Ireland increased 52 per cent; that of Germany 59 per cent; that of Austria 49 per cent; that of Italy 36 per cent; that of Russia 81 per cent; that of France 14 per cent; finally, in 1907 the French population had decreased by 20,000. While the writer enumerates as causes of this decrease the crowding of the rural population into cities, the military system which forces country

youths to spend three years of early life amid the corruptions of the town, and the crushing weight of taxation, which amounts to \$25 per capita, the principal causes lie deeper. They are moral and include selfish materialism, which concentrates the general mind on pleasure, and a diminished sense of duty, with the resultant increase in the number of suicides, of which 5216 are recorded in the single year 1906.

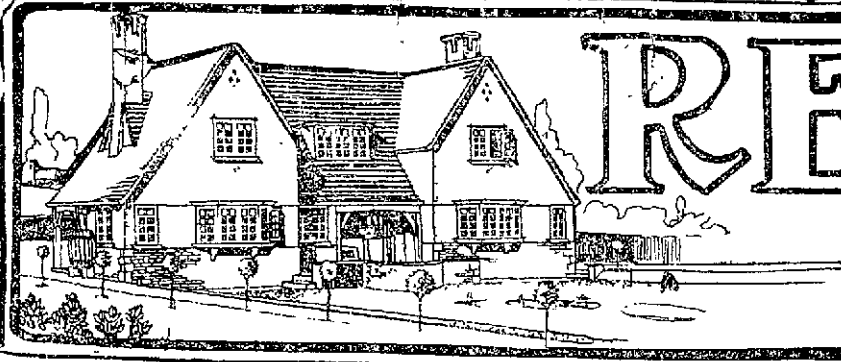
The moral decay of French literature, art and drama, he goes on to say, is doing its work in promoting French degeneracy and making Frenchmen of all classes the slaves of vice. Closely allied with this is alcoholism, concerning which he gives some startling figures.

While the consumption of alcohol in England is decreasing, and so diminishing seriously the revenue derived from its taxation, in France the records for the consumption of alcohol show that during the latter half of the nineteenth century the quantity drunk, per capita, had more than doubled. The amount of alcohol employed for the production of absinthe and similar liquors has almost tripled between 1874 and 1905. And in addition to the immorality, insanity and crime directly due to alcoholism, collapse of the moral sense, anti-patriotism and political corruption are now rampant in France, we are told. In the words of Mr. Lavallee:

"The passion for ease and comfort grows the more rapidly in proportion as it is gratified. More and more do we perceive in all classes, and more especially among young people of the lower orders, both in town and country, that the moral sense has become weakened. The care for material interests predominates, and ordinary character is the prey to uncontrolled desires. An impatient contempt for all authoritative restraint, a scoffing disbelief in the idea of duty, and a dread of and hatred for all effort or self-sacrifice prevail."—Literary Digest.

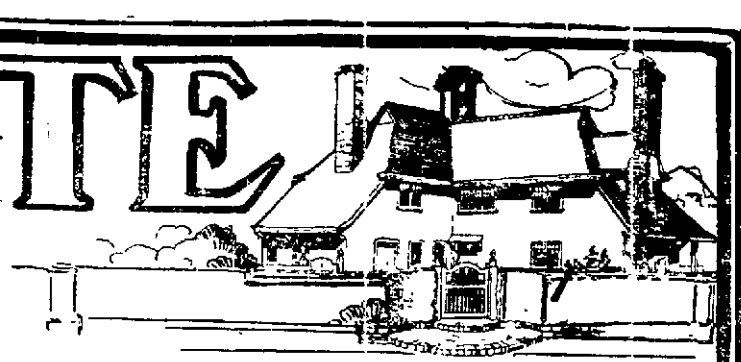
Sonnet From the Portuguese

Go from me. Yet I feel that I shall stand
Henceforward in thy shadow. Nevermore
Alone upon the threshold of my door
Of individual life, I shall command
The uses of my soul, nor lift my hand
Serenely in the sunshine as before.
Without the sense of that which I forebore—
Thy touch upon the palm. The widest land
Doom takes to part us, leaves thy heart in mine
With pulse that beat double. What I do
And what I dream include thee, as the wine
Must taste of its own grapes. And when I sue
God for myself, He hears that name of thine;
And sees within my eyes the tears of two.
—Elizabeth Barrett Browning.



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PREPARING TO SPEND
MANY MILLIONS OF
DOLLARS IN WATER
FRONT IMPROVEMENTS

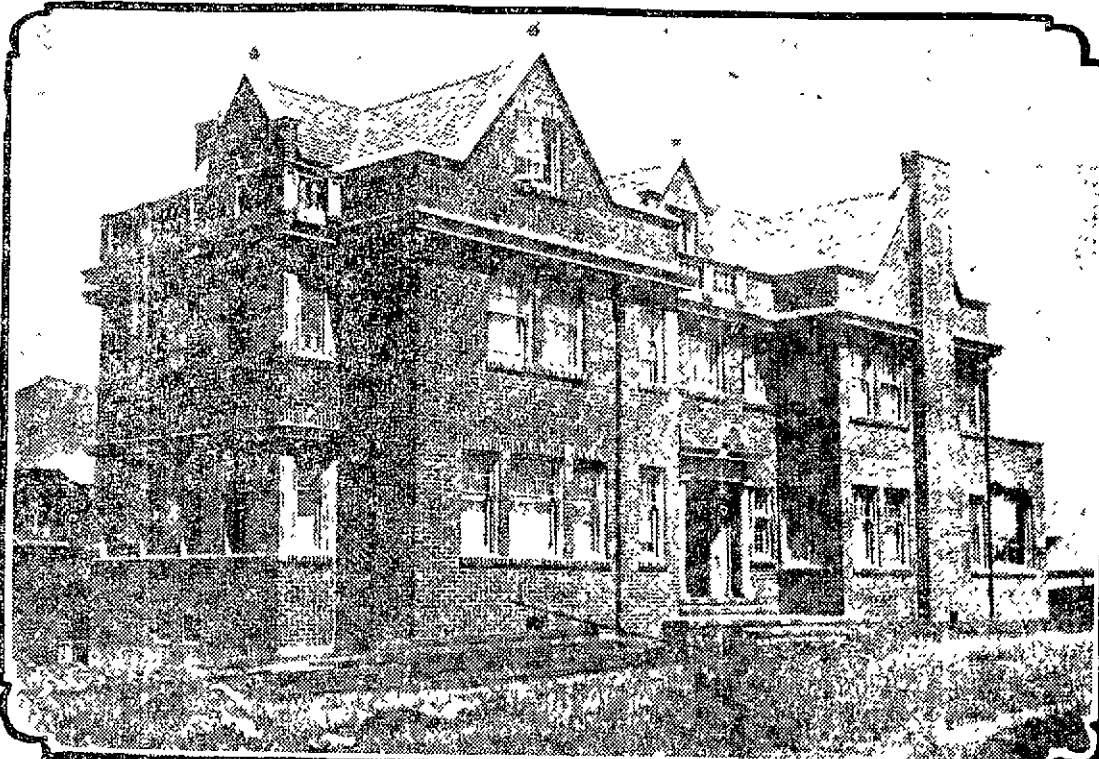
Great Enterprises Afoot in Oakland and Environs

PUBLIC WORKS ARE
BEING PUSHED AHEAD
VIGOROUSLY AND HOME
BUILDING IS UNRELAXED

OAKLAND'S PROGRESS ASSURED

Big Projects for Water Front
Improvements Are Maturing;
Millions to Be Spent on
Docks and Wharves
and Public
Buildings

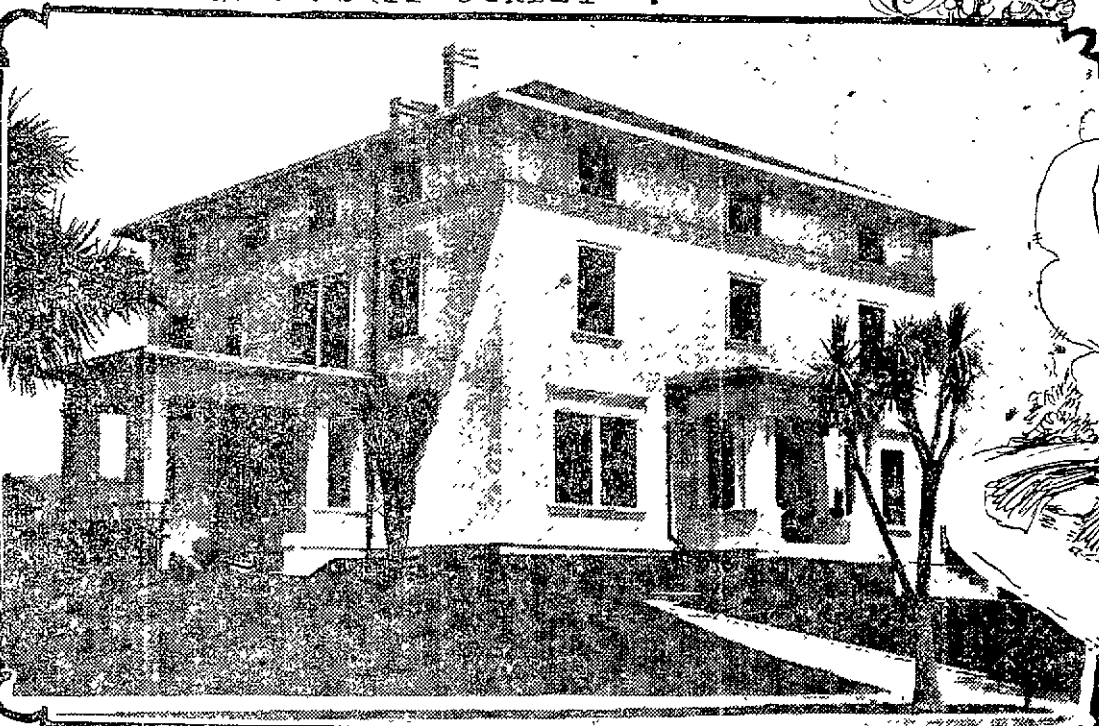
"Coming events cast their shadows before," wrote Thomas Campbell, the famous Scotch poet and author of "Pleasures and Hope," and the line applies to Oakland these times in a marked sense, for the shadows cast by approaching events of the greatest importance to its future growth, progress and prosperity are strongly defined. It does not require any one to be in "the sunset of life" which gave Campbell "mystical lore" in order to interpret them correctly. Oakland is on the eve of a great advance and no student of the course of events can fail to discern the result of what is coming. If any one who is familiar with the changes that have taken place in the past three years, which are taking place now, and others which are fast crystallizing into tangible shape and talk to comprehend their logical effect in the commercial growth of the city, the increase of its manufacturing interests and productive population, the expansion of its business quarters and resi-



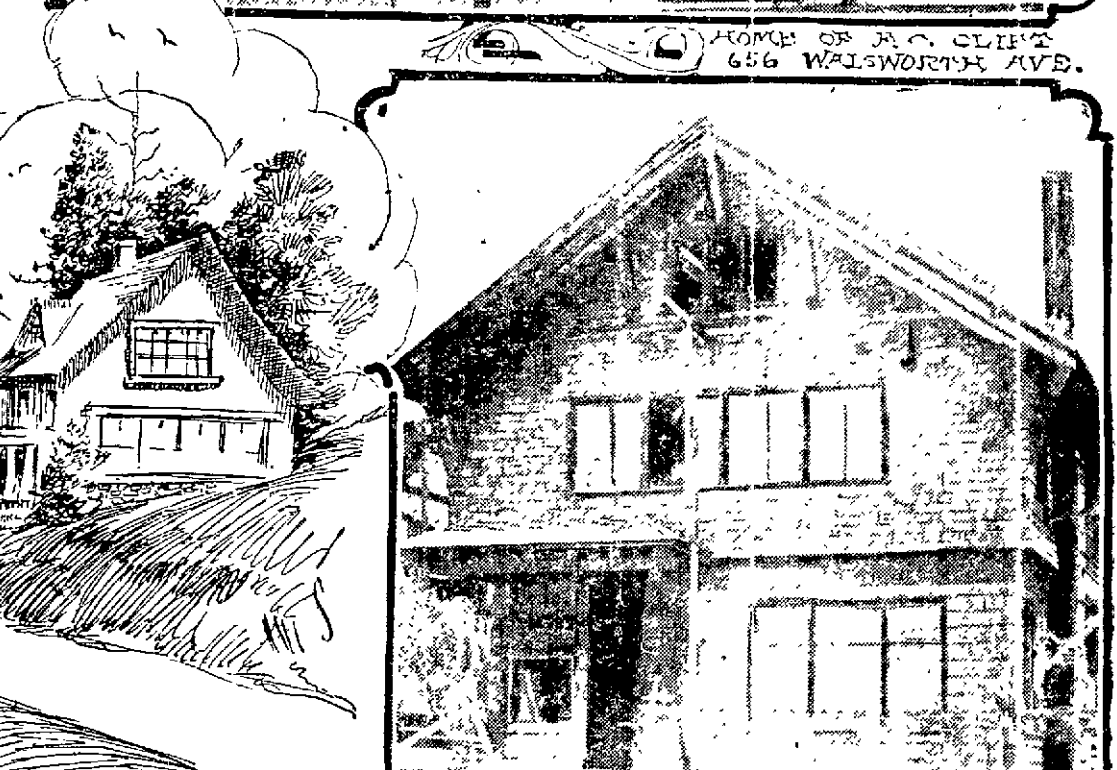
NEW RESIDENCE FOR C.E. PARCELLS
ON SUMMIT STREET



HOME OF A.C. CLIFT
656 WALSWORTH AVE.



RESIDENCE OF WILLIAM
PIERCE JOHNSON, MONTE VISTA AVE.



NEW HOME FOR W.A. HORN
ON KEMPTON AVENUE



NEW RESIDENCE OF MRS. I. GIRARDELLI ON
MARIPOSA AND OAKLAND AVENUE

dential districts, the enormous inflation of its prosperity and the big advance in realty values which will inevitably accompany these changes, he must be afflicted with inevitable mental pangs.

Improvements in Progress

With a steady, unflagging growth in permanent private and public improvements, in commerce on Oakland's water front, in business and in population and with its tributary suburbs filling up so rapidly that their population is becoming as congested almost as that in the heart of the city itself, what else can be expected is not an appreciation in real estate values? This is so clearly outlined on the

judgment and mental vision of every real estate dealer doing business in the three cities and their suburban settlements, dovetailed together into one cohesive and inseparable mass, that they are looking forward to the near future with the greatest confidence in the development of an era of progress and prosperity of a magnitude unprecedented in the central and northern parts of California, and perhaps unequalled in any section of the southern part of the State.

Projected Improvements

The changes which are taking place now sink into insignificance compared with those which are projected for immediate develop-

ment in which the communities on this side of the bay are mutually interested. Within the next sixty days the people of Oakland will be called upon to vote bonds for the construction of several permanent wharves on the southern water front, at which and the docks associated with them, the deepest vessels afloat can be as safely moored as if enclosed in a mill pond, no matter whence or however fiercely the wind may blow, and receive and deliver cargoes from their holds into the waiting railroad cars alongside, as soon as the harbor channel is deepened; and for the construction of a modern type of a city hall. There can be scarcely room for the

shadow of a doubt regarding the popular authorization of the bond issue of \$2,500,000 for these purposes. The clouds which the "knockers" interested in holding back the commercial progress of Oakland have of late attempted to create to obscure the outlook for the channel deepening to any depth commerce may require to be amply accommodated, will be brushed away at the interview which is to be held between Lieutenant-Colonel Biddle and the Chamber of Commerce and the representatives of the municipal government during the coming week, at which unquestionably a thorough understanding will be reached satisfactory to every interest concerned. Oakland means to go ahead, and it has come to that point in its development when no outside agency is strong enough to stop its continued progress.

Westside Docks and Wharves

During the past week the big project for the construction of a vast system of docks and wharves in the basin between the Southern Pacific Company's mole and the Key Route pier; and the extension of a vast railway system associated with it, has made substantial progress. The two corporations organized within the last few weeks for the carrying out of this improvement involving a joint expenditure of \$10,000,000 are rapidly getting the project in shape so as to be in a position to proceed with it without delay.

Electric Street Railways

Then again the Southern Pa-

cific Company and the Western Pacific Railway Company are pushing their respective enterprises along the east bay shore territory vigorously. The latter company has bought the fastest steamboat in the north to put temporarily in the transbay ferry service until other ferry boats are built for this special work, which is another sign that the local end of the line at least will be in operation at or about the beginning of September in accordance with the company's application for the assignment of a ferry slip on the San Francisco side of the bay, by which time also, the local freight and passenger depots and the line from Fruitvale to the end of the mole will be double-tracked and ready for business. Can any one be so blind as not to see the enormous influence these changes will produce on all kinds of realty in Oakland and its environs, and the enormous impetus they will give to trade and commerce, and the influence they will exert in advancing their prosperity?

FUNSTON BUYING SAN LEANDRO LAND

Will Build a Summer Home on
Tract Purchased at the Old
County Seat

General Fred W. Funston, who is in command at Fort Leavenworth, Kan., and is now spending a summer vacation at the home of his wife, Mrs. Funston, at San Leandro, has just purchased a large tract of land at San Leandro through the office of St. J. Kimes, Co. The deal was handled by Captain H. B. Oriskany, who was formerly a captain in Funston's regiment in the Philippines. General Funston is planning to erect a summer residence on the premises.

GROWTH OF VALUES IN CITY OF OAKLAND

Some Remarkable Illustrations
of Increase in Land Values
in Twenty Years

Commenting on Oakland property values, George W. Austin says: "The unexampled rapidity with which the city of Oakland and surroundings have developed has been so wonderful as to excite the admiration and astonishment of those who, having been absent for a few short months, returned to find localities which were vacant when they left, filled with well-built homes. This is true of no one locality, every accessible section has received the attention of the public and the great number of buildings of all kinds in all directions that have been erected is astonishing. Take as a whole the section of the city on the east side of the bay, from San Francisco, which embraces Oakland, Berkeley, Piedmont, Fruitvale, Milpitas, Emeryville and San Leandro, and nowhere in the state can such a record of home building be found. "What I have said of residential property can be said with a great deal of emphasis of business property. Take, for instance, that block across the street, bounded by Broadway, Eleventh, Washington and Twelfth streets. In 1885 it was assessed at \$1,125,000. Ten years later it was \$2,100,000, a rise in value of \$975,000. You couldn't buy that block of property today for less than \$2,000,000 or \$2,500,000. Mark you, these valuations I am giving you are on the land only. The man who possesses \$20,000 worth of business property today can get \$50,000 for it. A \$50,000 home in a most desirable section of the city will double in value in a few years. Take the assessment rolls for the past twenty years, and after year, and one will see a complete change in land values. With these facts in view, there is no wonder as many business men in property today as there were ten, fifteen or twenty years ago, and are free to say that I don't know of a single spot in Greater Oakland where property will ever sell for less than 25 per cent above its cost. Add to this the possibility of selling it for 50, 75 or 100 per cent above its cost and it makes the matter of investment very fascinating."

GRAND AVENUE BOULEVARD

Opening up a New and Charming
Residential District North
of Lake Merritt

Grand Avenue Boulevard has unquestionably opened up a charming residential district in Oakland, which bids fair to become as popular as either Piedmont, Adams Point or Claremont. This new section lies on the Eastern slope of Pleasant valley, right at the head of Lake Merritt, just across the street from Adams Point. The principal tract in this district is called Grand Avenue Heights and is being placed upon the market by the Frank K. Mott Company of Oakland. The plans for the new city parks call for a grouping of parks between Grand Avenue Heights and Lake Merritt, so that the residents of this section of Oakland will enjoy a beautiful panoramic view of the parks and lakes to the south, of San Francisco and the bay in the distance with Grand Avenue Heights Boulevard and Adams Point in the foreground to the west and Piedmont and the hills to the north and east. This part of Oakland is singularly protected from the winds and fog, in fact, years ago, it was a favorite picnic ground for the city settlers many of whom now remember the wild flowers that grew so profusely upon its slopes and the beautiful view to be had of all the surrounding bay country. "I stood upon Grand Avenue Heights the other day and saw the most beautiful panorama you can imagine," said L. L. Kemp, of the Oakland Furniture Company, recently. "I could see San Francisco and on down south almost to Palo Alto. I saw the little blue yachts on Lake Merritt backed up by a forest of masts of mercantile vessels in Brooklyn basin. Automobiles were sliding down Grand Avenue Boulevard. People were promenading past the entrance gates and in all it was a picture I shall never forget and a picture I often hope to see as I am already living in a new home that I have erected upon one of the finest lots in the tract. "Mr. Kemp's enthusiastic endorsement of the other day, said L. L. Kemp, manager of the Frank K. Mott Company, would be shared by many residents who have seen this new district. It is unquestionably destined to be one of the most favored of Oakland's residential neighborhoods."

GUIDE FOR BUYER AND SELLER

A. J. Snyder,
Real Estate,
901 Broadway.

Building Revival
Building Inspector John Davies reports a 20 per cent increase in the number of permits issued during the last month is astonishing. It is somewhat accounted for in the return of families from their summer vacations. There of course to be an influx outside people into town, and there will be some large residences built within the next few months. We are contemplating the erection of a large number of apartment houses in a western portion of the city."

NEW RECORDS IN RAILWAY STOCKS

High Prices Forecast Prosperity, Declares Prominent New York Financier

(BY A. M. CHAPMAN.)
NEW YORK, July 24.—New records for New York Central and Rock Island shares with Union Pacific returning to the highest mark in its history today, were the result of a strong market today. The trade here was almost entirely professional. At the opening there was much speculation, but the market was soon taken over by the professional element. The New York Central, Reading and Rock Island shares showed fractional gains, while Union Pacific, Northern Pacific, Great Northern, Santa Fe and Southern Pacific led in the gain of the day.

The market was dull in the last hour but the few transactions gave evidence of favorable views by the large investors and speculative interests. In the last few minutes the New York Central, Reading and Rock Island shares were sold for profit taking sales forced recessions from the highest figures of the day.

Indication of Prosperity
An interesting development was a statement attributed to Paul M. Warburg, a member of the firm of Kuhn, Loeb & Company, and a relative by marriage of Jacob Schiff. His statement the banker declared that the present stock market prices forecasted to a large extent the coming prosperity of this country. Pointing from a number of historical precedents, he stated that such a statement was warranted.

The street was excited to know whether Kuhn, Loeb & Company, as a house, endorsed it. A striking coincidence was the fact that on top of it Union Pacific closed up its previous high record.

London Irregular
American shares were irregular in London. The total number of shares of stocks sold today was 27,220.

The par value of bonds sold today was \$1,000,000,000. The interest on the bonds was \$1,000,000,000.

August dividend and interest disbursements are estimated this year to aggregate about \$70,000,000.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST

The following quotations of prices of stocks and bonds were furnished by the New York Stock Exchange, with offices in the Mills Building, 60 Wall Street, New York City.

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SAN FRANCISCO STOCK AND BOND EXCHANGE

J. C. Wilson, Stockbroker.

Regular Session, Saturday, July 24.

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PERSONALS

A merchant would not think a woman very wise if she purchased a yard less silk for a gown than she needed—even if it were very fine silk. Nor is the merchant who purchases a column less wise if he advertises space than he needs, even if it is very fine advertising space—and costly.

ANY poor girl in need of a friend, a home or advice, is invited to call and write the matron of The Salvation Army Home, Euclid Heights, Cal. Phone Merritt 4327.

A.A.—FREE trip to Calaveras County Big Trees and gold mines. Went to go? Call 221 First National Bank Bldg.

ANY one going to Denver, Colo., will do well to call at 424 20th st., between 6 and 8 p. m.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES are slipping by you every day; if undecided consult Mrs. Zazuli; she is a spiritual, medium, clairvoyant, and business adviser; by her powerful psychic forces she develops your magnetism and latent powers; Mrs. Zazuli is a powerful clairvoyant and succeeds in detecting threatening failure in success for you. Offices at 920 Broadway, Oakland.

DISCUSSION OF CO-PARTNERSHIP. It is hereby notified that the partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned under the name of The Brown & Brown Company, and O. H. Brown assuming all obligations of said firm.

The said business will be continued by G. H. Brown at the same location, First street, between Washington and Clay. Signed G. H. BROWN.

ELECTROLYTIC VIBRATION. Mrs. L. Johnson of Oakland Sanatorium, 605 10th st.

FINE, many-looking, legal widower, 50, perfect health, propable character, educated, successful business, use of unimpaired faculties, independent, wants situation of lady about 35; object matrimony. P. O. Box 116, Mendocino City, Calif.

GERMAN mechanic, 30 years of age, owns business; would like to become acquainted with German body or with one of some name; object matrimony. Box 11, Richmond, Contra Costa Co., Atchison, P. O.

GAS CONSUMERS' Assn. reduces your bill 15 to 30 per cent. Call 1211 st.

IF Roy S. Patterson of Middletown, Conn., and last heard of at Oakland, Cal., will communicate with the Probate Court at Middletown, Conn., will hear of something to his interest.

LAPRA, BERTSAND—Dentist and oculist, willing to work hours, Washington (over Owl Drug Store).

L. S. CLARK, 454-456, 551 Jackson St. Consultation free. Open evenings.

MISS F. M. MAYNARD—Electrolysis, scalp treatment, etc. 454-456, 551 Jackson St. Consultation free. Open evenings.

MISS MONTAGUE, a professional masseuse, both sexes. 454-456, 551 Jackson St. Consultation free. Open evenings.

To whom it may concern: I, the undersigned, having withdrawn from the firm of Cooper & Cramer, initial door contractors, will not be responsible for any debts or work contracted after this date by J. O. Cramer or C. W. Cramer. P. E. KING.

THOSE who witnessed incident of woman thrown from car at 12th and Alice st., July 16, at 8:45 o'clock, kindly send address to 514 Broadway, Oakland.

UNCALLED for suits, trousers and overcoats at less than cost at Glas, Lyons, 12th and Broadway, Oakland.

WANTED—Young widow lady with means would like to meet elderly gentleman, preferably situated. Address 8247, Tribune.

NOTARY

AA—V. D. Smart, notary public; money loan. Tribune office, 4th and Franklin.

HELP WANTED—MALE

WHEN the man for whom you ought to "THERE," LOOKS—your ad. should be "THERE."

AN experienced salesman to sell stock from model at 113 Broadway; good position. Call or write.

BARBER at Oakland Pier Barber Shop; good position. Call 528.

CIVIL SERVICE employees are paid well for easy work; examinations of all kinds soon; expert advice, sample questions, booklets, etc. 247 Broadway, Oakland.

DENTAL, laboratory assistants wanted; must be experienced plate worker; state salary expected, etc. Box 7561, Tribune.

DO you speak French? If not study it. You will always find good positions. 15 1/2 st., phone Oakland 4221.

EXPERIENCED dresser on ladies' and gentlemen's clothing. Dye Works, 1919 Filbert st., Oakland.

GIRL to do general housework and cooking for 3 in family; small wash; sleep home; \$25 per month. 1810 Bonita ave., Berkeley.

GIRL to set type, etc.; good position. Chicago Rubber Stamp Co., 805 Broadway.

GERMAN girl for general housework. 1575 13th, Oakland 2167.

HOTSEKESPEER; middle aged woman, for care of good baby; 1-year-old child; must be respectable and responsible. Address Box 2334, Tribune.

HOP picking in August; work for every body; your ad under male help wanted.

LADIES to make cold cream at home; barrels of money; easy work; no money required to start; recipe sent for free in stamps. California Chemical Cold Cream Co., Station "E," Oakland, Cal.

LADIES, home employment, stamping transfers, etc. 214 Broadway, Oakland.

LADIES to take home work. Treibler, 1440 Sutter st., near Polk st., San Francisco.

MIDDLE-AGED woman with references, for care of good baby; 1-year-old child; must be respectable and responsible. Address Box 2334, Tribune.

STUDENTS to prepare for positions. Oakland Millinery Parlors and School, 603 14th st.

WANTED—Protestant woman to assist in household work; good companion. One interested in Christian Science, preferred. 1022 Ashby ave., S. Berkeley.

WANTED—Competent woman for general housework in country; small family; good wages and good position. Call 1879 Summit st., corner Orchard.

WANTED—A German girl or woman for general housework; 3 adults in family; good wages and good position. Call 2338 Carlton st., Berkeley.

WANTED—A young girl for general housework that likes children. Call Merritt 4327, 1919 Filbert st., Napa.

WANTED—Middle-aged woman for housework and plain cooking; 3 in family. Apply 1211 st., near Grand ave.

WANTED—A young girl to assist in household work; good wages and good position. Call 1879 Summit st., corner Orchard.

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REWARDS OF \$100 IN PRIZES

Tribune's Misspelled Word Contest

Anybody (except employees of THE TRIBUNE) allowed to participate.

A chance every day to compete. No difficulty, no puzzle. Only a careful perusal of each classified advertisement, to find the misspelled word.

Beginning August 1st, and for a number of weeks to the one sending in the first correct answer in his detection of the word misspelled, also the best and briefest reason why the advertiser in question should be patronized, a prize of \$5 in cash will be paid.

For the second, third, fourth, Fifth and Sixth answers in the order received, prizes to the value of one dollar a piece in a handsome picture will be awarded to each one of the successful contestants.

Awards made and the winners' names announced in THE TRIBUNE every Wednesday and Sunday.

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No orders recognized for advertise-

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A. P. C. CORBETT, general contractor.

Jobbing, stone fitting, 1114 Franklin st.

Phone Merritt 2165.

ANY kind of remodeling or painting. A.

Hillman, 545 E. 12th st., phone 431.

G. A. DIATHEGONE, expert French

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If you want to reach the people of

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MARBLE and granite monuments, large

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P. Finnerty, prop., stone room 117 1/2

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PAINTING, tinting, papering; get our

figures and see how much we can save

you. Phone 431. 214 Broadway, Oakland.

Kempson & Co., 53 Harrison.

ROOMS papered or tinted, \$1 up; paint-

ing reasonable. Send postal, R. Hayes,

410 Franklin st., Oakland.

WANTED—Contractor to build on orders

on small payments; must be honest

to handle business. Box 3224, Tribune.

HOUSE MOVERS

H. B. HENDERSON—Raising, shoring,

moving; houses, barns, etc. 431

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HOUSES FOR SALE.
(Continued)

The Magnificent Home
Corner Santa Clara Ave.
and Chetwood St.
 Oakland, for sale at a bargain; one of the finest 6-room houses in Alameda County; sleeping porch, furnace, fine attic; other rooms fully added. Price \$6000, of which \$2000 must be cash, balance at \$50 per month. This is very fine.

rooms on Oakland avenue, close-in, for \$7250. Both houses are exceptionally high class properties.
See FRANK K. MOTT COMPANY,
1060 Broadway, Oakland.

Will Build Houses
to suit your plans on terms. The Wright Co., 416-18 First National Bank Bldg.
\$14—LOT 5x12x24—4-p. w. cottage, on our
line; gas; \$100 down \$15 month, or will
exchange for lot worth from \$250 to
\$1000. 2208 High st. Phone Merritt
3500.

2-ROOM house in East Oakland, large
bath, marine view; on street car line;
\$3500; lot worth \$1500; this is a bargain.
Phone Oakland 2268.

2-600—Corner store with list of five rooms
and bath; above, on Grove st., close in.
\$2500 mortgage can remain. Address
Owner, Box 7551, Tribune.

2-226—New 4-room, 1 bath, all modern

8-ft. basement; \$166 cash, \$80 month.
Liese ave., cor. 1st above Boulevard.
2042 Harriman ave.

\$2400 QUICK sale, going South, new cot-
tage 6 rooms, modern, nicely furnished;
all goes; terms, 455 63d st., east of
Telegraph.

153 FIRST AVE., near E. 14th st.—Fur-
nished flat of 6 rooms for sale.

3000 DOWN, balance as rent; modern 5-room cottage. Phone A-1845.

PROPERTY TO EXCHANGE.

BEAUTIFUL, 5-room cottage, worth \$2500, to exchange for small ranch. Taylor Bros. Co., W. E. Johnson, Mgr. Exec. and County Treas., 1236 Broadway, Oakland, Cal.

EXCHANGE—\$4900 equity in 40 acres, first-class level land in Colusa county for an automobile of equal value. This land is first-class, 1 mile from R. R. station and on the market at \$75 per acre. Box 5271, Trilbne, Oakland.

EXCHANGE—I have two pairs of flats in a fine location near Lake Merritt, new and up to date in every way; would

take or exchange for unimproved business or residence property; will assume a mortgage. Box 825, Tribune.

EXCHANGE—\$1800 equity in 60 acres, first-class land in Colusa Co.; some bank stock and possibly some cash for property in Berkeley or Oakland. Box 8272, Tribune, Oakland.

HOUSE of \$1800 in beautiful 7-room bungalow. Central 22.

FOR EXCHANGE

3200 bearing good burn, small house and well; on good county road, 1 1/2 miles to town and railroad. 8 acres all in orchard, 665 in loganberries and raspberries, 2 acres blackberries, 2000 strawberries, and personal property 1 mile to electric railroad and 4 miles to Santa Rosa.

HUGH M. CAMERON

1658 Broadway.
OR SALE OR EXCHANGE—60 acre
apple and potato ranch, Watsonville;
crops pay \$5 per cent on price, \$12,000.
Healthy, pleasant location; all conven-
iences; horses, cow, tools all go; owner
retires; a well kept paying place. Will
exchange for any property and assume.
No fancy prices. J. H. Edson, 1658
Broadway, block 4.

OR exchange in Sacramento, lot 45-160, with 2-room house, each room 12x14; barn 14x16; yard for chickens; garden; all new and complete. Will exchange for a \$1000 lot or a house and lot worth about \$2000 in Central Oakland. Thomas & Co's, 4920 Telegraph ave., Oakland.

Hotel. Value \$4000; 11th flr. limits; cheap rent; will pay from \$1000 to \$2000 cash. Difference for Oakland or suburban property. Box 1483, Tribune; 789 Market st. S. F.

NE house; best residence part of
Berkeley. Exchange for bonds. Phone
Berkeley 3235.

HOUSE and lot in central Oakland, value
\$3995; will exchange equity of \$704 for
vacant lot in Fruitvale or Melrose. W.
P. Thomas & Co., 4920 Telegraph ave.,
Oakland.

COMM property to exchange for lot

Phone \$250 to \$1000. 2208 High st.
 North Merritt 2500.
 DT on Madison st. near 15th. to ex-
 change for Oakland San Francisco
 improved property. 2652 Howard st.,
 San Francisco.
 NEW 7-room, two-story house; exchange,
 \$3500 in lots. Box 825, Tribune.
 OLLIARIES

3 acres of oil lands (located) on mother
ode of oil, very promising, in tracts
of 40 acres; sell on easy terms or ex-
change for horse and buggy, auto or
lots. Price \$350 per acre. Box 7569,
Tribune, Oakland.

to exchange for \$300 per month. Wish
to exchange for \$300 per house and lot in
Central Oakland. W. E. Thomas &
Cole, 4920 Telegraph ave., Oakland.

TO EXCHANGE—One 4-cylinder 30-H.P.
passenger Mitchell '06 automobile, in
good condition, for sound working
horses of from 1100 to 1200 lbs. weight.
Box 8329, Tribune.

TO EXCHANGE for *Eschscholzia calycularis*

LL EXCHANGE residence, 8 rooms, bus; lot 37x122; rear Fruitvale depot. value \$3560; mortgage, \$1500, equity 2060; for cottage, building lots or small ranch. Randall R. E. Co., 3126 Fruitvale ave.

LL exchange a choice lot in Melrose
Delights, partly paid. \$1 first payment
in 6-room modern house. Box 8241,
Tribune.

COUNTRY REAL ESTATE

6 fruit or eucalyptus and join others
buy large tract at half price; if you
want 10 or 1500 acres see what you
can buy by writing card to R.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.
Office of the Berkeley Rock Company:
the stockholders of the Berkeley Rock
Company—Please take notice that the

annual meeting of the stockholders of Berkeley Rock Company will be held at the principal office of the company in the city of Oakland, Alameda county, California, on Tuesday, the 3d day of August, 1904, at 7 o'clock p. m. for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

the stock transfer book of the company will be closed on Saturday, the 17th of July, 1909, at 3 o'clock p. m. and remain closed until Wednesday, the day of August, at 11 o'clock a. m. by order of the board of directors.
JAMES E. CRANE, Secretary.

co., East Oakland, Cal., to M. Gallagher. Any one having any bills against said place of business must present the same to the said M. Gallagher, who will pay the same, and all accounts due said A. H. Leavy must be paid to the said M. Gallagher, who will receipt for same. Signed, A. H. Leavy.

Final Week of Our Big July Specials

Many Startling Values in All Departments

\$11 Men's Summer Suits \$15 and \$17.50 values

\$15 Men's Summer Suits, \$20 and \$25.00 values

Big Specials in Men's Furnishings

\$1.45 Men's Fancy Silk Negligee Shirts \$2 and \$3.00 values

\$1.15 Men's Summer Felt Hats, all the latest shapes and colors \$1.50 and \$2.00 values

Straw Hats ONE THIRD TO ONE-HALF OFF

Yours honestly,
Money-Back Smith
Washington Street, Corner Tenth

GOVERNMENT TO PRESERVE FAMOUS "MARBLE HALLS"

WASHINGTON, July 24.—Oregon eyes the marble halls of the Oregon State Capitol as the state's greatest treasure. The state has just passed a bill to preserve the marble halls of the Oregon State Capitol as the state's greatest treasure. The bill was passed by a vote of 15 to 10 in the Oregon legislature. The bill was introduced by Representative J. W. Leavitt, of Portland. The bill provides that the marble halls of the Oregon State Capitol shall be preserved as a national monument. The bill also provides that the marble halls shall be open to the public as a museum. The bill was passed by a vote of 15 to 10 in the Oregon legislature. The bill was introduced by Representative J. W. Leavitt, of Portland. The bill provides that the marble halls of the Oregon State Capitol shall be preserved as a national monument. The bill also provides that the marble halls shall be open to the public as a museum.

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JEWES TO OBSERVE 9TH DAY OF HEHEN

Collapse of the State and National Sanctuary in Holy Land Revived

The 9th day of Hehen of Ab which occurs on Tuesday July 27 is a solemn day in Jewish history and will be celebrated with fitting exercises by all the Jewish people. Speaking of the day and what it means Rev. Dr. Benjamin Meyerowitz, Rabbi of Beth Jacob Congregation says: "Time is the best teacher of history and the most competent expounder of the prophetic predictions. After 1900 years experience we are better enabled to judge about the intent of the Jewish state and national sanctuary than the generations that witnessed the fact."

Revelation on Sinai

The alpha and omega of Jewish religion and history is that the descendants of Abraham are destined to live for the blessings of mankind. The idea of Israel's mission renders the revelation on Mount Sinai the greatest fact in human history and the greatest fact in the annals of the Jewish people. The revelation above the level of a mere national history.

The consciousness of this mission has over lived in our nation but in different periods it shaped the Jewish state. During the existence of the Jewish state it manifested itself in the hope that the Hebrew commonwealth would become the locus of a new life both political and religious for mankind. In the course of time we have learned the great lesson that our life is not depending upon a certain spot on the earth but it is called Palestine or otherwise. A history of eighteen centuries has taught us that it is not the destiny of Israel to wait for the Jewish state to be re-established. The Jewish state is a reality and it is our duty to maintain it. The Jewish state is a reality and it is our duty to maintain it.

Day of Manifestation

Therefore we look upon the 9th of Ab as a day which fills each Jewish heart with melancholy owing to the suffering by which it was followed by our forefathers.

At the same time however this day and its events are the year manifestation of the Lord that there shall be a time when all the earth shall become one consecrated Zion. The ideal state is the brotherly union among mankind and the ideal king is the universal and no longer the only One. When this time shall have come then shall be fulfilled the spiritual Jerusalem. The lost Jew shall be restored and the prophecy of Isaiah shall be fulfilled. Zion shall be redeemed through justice.

AGED MAN SAYS SONS 'FIRED' HIM

Suit Filed by Abraham Hass Asks Damages For Loss of Position

SAN FRANCISCO, July 24.—Aged and broken in health Abraham Hass, former president and general manager of the Pacific Coast Bone Coal and Lumbering Company, is suing his children in the Superior Court charging they have deprived him of the business he has carried on for years. Hass says his discharge was due to the fact that he refused to establish his ownership of certain blocks of stock in the concern.

This assertion is denied by the children who charge that at the time their father was relieved of the management of the business and for ten years prior thereto he was in receipt of a salary of \$300 a month. This they claim he considered sufficient for his needs and he made an overdraw with the corporation amounting to \$1800. When he was relieved they claim he considered his salary providing he could accept \$100 a month in cash and allow the other \$150 to apply to his overdraw.

When he refused this offer they declared there was nothing else for them to do but to put him out of the company and refuse the father any voice in the conduct of the business thereafter.

DESIGN CHOSEN FOR NEW SCHOOL

Pleasanton Trustees Adopt Plans for Elegant Mission Building, by Burki

PLEASANTON, July 24.—After deliberation extending over a week during which time the plans and design of over a score of architects were under consideration the local school board has selected a set of drawings presented by J. W. Burki of Fruitvale.

The plans of Burki are of the mission design and looking from the drawings it is evident that the building will be a masterpiece of architecture. The building will be a masterpiece of architecture. The building will be a masterpiece of architecture.

\$6,000,000 BISCUIT COMPANY IS ORGANIZED

NEW YORK, July 24.—A \$6,000,000 biscuit company will be organized in New York City. The company will be organized in New York City. The company will be organized in New York City.

Introductory Sale of the Breuners' twins

The Sleep Producers

On special sale for one week only at remarkably low prices

\$2.95 **\$2.95**

Sanitary Mattress \$2.95 **"Breuner" Springs \$2.95**

The mattress is filled in three layers, cotton top and bottom and excelsior center, covered with a good grade of ticking, made in full size.

Hard pine frame, closely woven wire mattress, rope woven edge, supported in center by twenty all-steel coil springs.

Now is the opportunity for apartment houses, hotels and lodging houses to save money---dealers' orders will be filled after customers have been supplied, if any remain.

See our Thirteenth street windows Monday

Oakland agents for Vudor Porch Shades and Chatham Fireless Cookers.

FREE to a Breuner customer

We will present that beautiful \$5000 six room Bungalow absolutely free to a Breuner customer.

Are you a Breuner customer? You may be the one to receive this valuable gift.

Come out today and see it. Take a Grand Avenue car on 14th or Webster street go to East Piedmont Heights—the conductor will guide you.

This dining-room set comes in solid oak golden finish, the pedestal table draws out to six feet and will seat eight people, the chairs have continuous back posts with extra braces, cane seated and paneled back. This special price is for a few days only.

CREDIT to all deserving people

We have faith in the man who is striving to own a home. We know that he is honest and deserving and without hesitancy we will allow him the use of the goods while paying for them.

We will trust him privately for whatever he may need. Come in and tell it over.

Come out and see the Bungalow today—it's a pleasant trip

Your Credit is Good

Breuners

13th & Franklin Sts.

Between Broadway and the Narrow Gauge

GETS BODY BUT MUST RETURN IT

Coroner and Two Rival Undertakers Have Lively Scrap Over Corpse

SAN DIEGO, July 24.—Because two rival undertakers and the county coroner misunderstood instructions, a body was held yesterday over the remains of George, Clerk Orr, the Attorney General's son who was drowned at La Jolla.

Both undertakers received telephonic requests to call for the body. Both placed their dead wagons to the door of the house from where and both arrived about the same time. The undertaker undertakes to secure the remains and started back.

The Modern Figure

How to Regain Beauty of Form

The vagaries of Fashion are a great trial to ladies, inclined to overweightness, but it is a lot of trouble to go in for physical education in the shape of special diets, fasting and violent exercises. It is also dangerous. One very soon becomes limp, depressed and sorrowful of complexion when such methods of getting thin are adopted. There is absolutely no reason why a woman should not be slim and healthy. The modern figure is a reality and it is our duty to maintain it.

BOARD MUST SIT UNTIL MIDNIGHT

Supervisors Discover That Equalization Extension Will Mean Late Hour

When the Supervisors sitting as a Board of Equalization last week learned that it would be impossible for them to adjourn all of the differences between property owners and County Assessor Dalton within a week, an application was made to the state authorities for an extension of time.

This was granted and extended to looking over the terms of the provision under which the extension would not expire until midnight on Monday. Accordingly the board must sit in session throughout the entire day and evening. Less than twenty six applications have been made to the board for extensions in assessments. The board has a record and is credited to the creation of an office by the Supervisors last year of Auditor of Assessments.

Frank Shaw, a deputy under Assessor Dalton was appointed to the position and as a result of his work settlements which were a complicated last year only after months of labor by the Supervisors have been secured. The board adjourns tomorrow night it is expected that the number of applications for reductions will not be extended.

Cure Your Rheumatism

Costs Nothing to Try

Rheumatism, Lumbago, Sciatica, Pain in the back have been cured in the past by the use of the Smith-Bigelow's "Cure Your Rheumatism" remedy. The remedy is a simple, safe, and effective cure for rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica, and pain in the back. The remedy is a simple, safe, and effective cure for rheumatism, lumbago, sciatica, and pain in the back.

AUTO PARTY GETS DEER AT SONOMA CO. HUNT

SANTA ROSA, July 24.—The Stoddard Dayton car No. 12 in which Pen No. 1000, the famous Sonoma county automobile road race, came into town yesterday night decorated with lights and the carcass of a couple of deer bucks as well as a big sack of jerked venison. Noonan was at the wheel, and with